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| Moet & Chandon | 22,324 |
| Pommery & Greno | 19,151 |
| Vve. Clicquot | 18,913 |
| Krug & Co. | 10,183 |
| Ruinart, Pere & Fils | 4,410 |
| Pol Rodger | 4,047 |
| Louis Roederer | 3,429 |
| Dry Monopole | 1,651 |
| Duc De Montebello | 1,355 |
| Various Brands | 10,606 |
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## QUEBEC AWAITS PRINCE'S ARRIVAL

### Cruiser Indomitable With H. R. H. to Reach Harbor This Morning

### REHEARSAL OF PAGEANTS

### Thousands of Visitors Tax the Ancient City's Accommodations

Quebec, July 21.—The second day of the tercentenary celebration was an uneventful one, everything awaiting the arrival of the Prince of Wales tomorrow.

The accretions to the crowd in attendance were very noticeable, every train arriving in the city bringing visitors to seek accommodation in the crowded city.

The performances today took very much the shape of a full dress rehearsal, and they were such as to show that the presentations will be worthy of the occasion for which they were organized.

The main attraction for the crowd today was the city itself in the naval guise it has been decked out in for the celebration. The great features were the first formal performances of Felecian David's symphonie ode, "Christophe Colombe," both of which were well attended. The crowd at the pageant was a surprise to the management, close upon 10,000 people attending.

Vice Admiral Asheton Curzon, Rear Admiral Jellicoe and the officers of the British fleet gave a ball tonight in the parliament building. About 1,000 attended, and the scene was a most brilliant one.

Owing to the breaking of a water main a number of restaurants had to close their doors, and several thousand people went without breakfast this morning. Most of the big hotels, however, have their own tanks, and so avoided inconvenience.

Lord Roberts and Earl Grey held a review at Savard Camp this morning. Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived in the city this morning and was given a great reception. It was announced today that there will be a military procession through the streets on Thursday of twelve thousand mounted troops.

H.M.S. Indomitable, with H.R.H. the Prince of Wales on board, was sighted at Fame Point this morning. She will arrive here tomorrow.

## ROJESTVENSKY NOT DEAD

### Incorrect Report Gives Admiral Chance to Read Some Unflattering Obituary Notices

Berlin, July 21.—The announcement made yesterday from Badnauheim, Germany, that vice-admiral Rojestvensky, who commanded the Russian fleet that was annihilated by the Japanese in the battle of the Sea of Japan in May, 1905, had died here the night of July 19th, from heart trouble is incorrect. A Russian named Rojestvensky did die at Badnauheim, but it was not the vice-admiral.

St. Petersburg, July 21.—The papers comment uncharitably on the reported death of Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky. The Reich says that although acquitted by courtmartial, he was condemned by public opinion as one of the guilty naval officers who personally contributed to the Russian naval disaster in the Sea of Japan. Years before it occurred, at the notorious manoeuvres of Reval, in the presence of the German Emperor, Rojestvensky's fleet, this paper dedeclares, attained brilliant firing averages by means of fraudulent targets, and later, as chief of he naval staff, he superintended the building of worthless battleships of the Borodino type, which were an easy prey to the enemy. The Japanese fire sank the Borodino in 20 minutes.

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### Contractor Killed.

Parrsboro, N.S., July 21.—Douglas Lamb, a contractor, of Dellgent river, was killed by a falling derrick today. He leaves a widow and large family.

### Sir Wm. R. Cremer Dead

London, July 22.—Sir Wm. Randall Cremer died this morning. He was for many years member of parliament for the Haggerston division of Shoreditch. He was founder of the interparliamentary conferences which have met in various places since 1888.

### Racing Men Indicted

New York, July 21.—It was late tonight announced by Jake Ellherin, lawyer for the track interests, that three men, who were indicted in the afternoon by the Kings county grand jury in connection with the race track gambling investigation are Wm. Engeman, principal owner of the Brighton Beach Racing association, Christopher Fitzgerald, president of the same association, and John Cavanagh, manager of the betting ring.

### Report on Crops.

Ottawa, July 21.—J. Grisdale, of the central experimental farm, Ottawa, has just returned from a tour through Western Canada from the boundary of Manitoba to the boundary of British Columbia. He traversed the country via the Canadian Pacific, the Soo-Spokane, the Calgary and Lethbridge, the Calgary and Edmonton and the Regina and Saskatoon railways. His trip covered nearly four weeks. He says the crops along the main line were particularly good in the Winnipeg district as far west as Brandon. From Brandon to Broadview, the soil being much lighter, the crops were not quite so good, and the grain was short. The lack of rain in the district has not improved the conditions.

## DESPERATE ROBBERS USE PISTOLS FREELY

### Three Men Shot Down in a Crowded Bar-Room—Policemen Wounded

Boston, Mass., July 21.—Three men, armed with heavy calibre revolvers, dashed into a crowded Jamaica Plains bar-room ten minutes before closing tonight and yelling "hands up" began shooting up the place. When they had grabbed the money till and emptied it and had finished shooting and made their escape, one man was dead on the floor, another dying and a third seriously wounded.

Dashing from the door, the three men were met by Policeman Butter, who began firing on the desperadoes, none of them being shot, and all eventually escaped.

The dead man is Frank J. Drake, aged 52 years. Patrick R. Doran, aged 40 years, is dying grom a bullet wound, and Thomas Winterston, one of the proprietors of the saloon, was seriously wounded. The saloon is run by Winterston and McManus, and is situated at the corner of Washington and Roylston streets in Jamaica Plains, in a thickly settled section of the city.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 22—Patrollmen McCormick and Magner were shot by a highwayman early this morning (Wednesday), McCormack was shot in the groin and may die. Magner has a bullet in his leg. The highwayman held up a man on Main street about 1 o'clock. The officers were attempting to arrest a suspect when he opened fire on them.

## STRANDING OF ANUBIS

### Kosmos Line Steamer's Misadventure at Santa Rosa Island—Sixty-Eight People Aboard

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 21.—The German steamer Anubis, of the Kosmos line, bound from San Francisco to Hamburg, Germany, is ashore in the three-mile channel between San Miguel and Santa Rosa island, 30 miles off Point Conception. Tugs have been summoned from San Pedro, Redondo and Port Hartford to take off those on board and render what assistance may be possible.

News of the disaster reached the Point Conception lighthouse last night, when a boat carrying First Mate Johannes Doheran, Third Mate Karl Loewr and seven of the crew landed after a pull of over fourteen hours in a choppy sea.

Sixty-eight persons were left on board when the lifeboat departed, and at that time the captain had ordered that an attempt be made to lighten the vessel by putting overboard a portion of her cargo, which consisted principally of grain and was valued at $110,000. The vessel had no passengers on board.

## CREW'S NARROW ESCAPE

### Lake Steamer Burned and the Men on Board Nearly Penned In By Fire —Saved By Barge Crew

Detroit, Mich., July 21.—The steamer Chas. A. Street, bound down with three barges in tow, caught fire last night in Lake Huron 25 miles above Port Huron, and was destroyed. The crew of 13 were landed safely at Lexington.

When the fire broke out on the Street, which was 165 feet long, and owned at Mount Clements, Mich., the barges were cut adrift. The fire made rapid headway, despite the best efforts of the Street's crew, and it was soon apparent that the steamer was doomed.

The life boat was destroyed by the flames, and the crew began building a raft on which to leave the burning boat. Before they had completed it, the crew of one of the barges rowed back three miles, took them off safely and landed them at Lexington.

### Given Office in India

Hamilton, Bermuda, July 21.—Lt.-Gen. Wodehouse, governor of Bermuda, has been selected by the British war office to succeed General Sir Bindon Blood as the commander of the Northern (Punjaub) division of India. Lt.-Gen. Wodehouse has been governor and commander-in-chief in Bermuda since May, 1907.

## STEAMER LOST ON NORTH COAST

### Strange Disappearance of the Tartar and Her Crew of Eight Men

### UNAVAILING SEARCH MADE

### Half of Her Boom of Logs Found Scattered Along the Shore

Vancouver, July 21.—The steamer Tartar, Captain Carter, is reported to be lost in Seymour Inlet, one hundred miles up coast. News regarding the loss or safety of the vessel was expected this evening by the steamer Camosun, which arrived from Prince Rupert, but she had seen nothing of the Tartar.

For eight days the little vessel, with her crew of eight, has been missing. She was supposed to be towing a boom of logs from Seymour Inlet to Vancouver. Half of the boom has been found scattered on the shore, and search is now being made for the remainder.

There has been no rough weather, and how the vessel could have come to grief is a mystery, but the coast line has been searched for her and nothing can be obtained in the way of information that will solve the enigma of her disappearance.

## ALLEGED DIAMOND THEFT

### Couple Taken Into Custody at Portland on Charge of Stealing From Cranbrook Jeweler

Portland, July 21.—Arthur H. Clute, and his wife, Lilian Clute, were arrested here on the charge of stealing diamonds from the jewelry store of Jacob Flieschmann, of Cranbrook, B.C. They were traced here by Officer Robert S. Barron, of British Columbia, who laid the charge of theft against them. Extradition proceedings are to be taken.

Arthur H. Clute, who has been arrested in Portland on suspicion of having been implicated in a diamond robbery in this province, was employed as a bar tender at the Driard for a couple of weeks in June last, when he attracted much attention by constantly displaying a couple of very large diamonds upon his hands.

These "rocks" or "sparklers" are said to have been undoubtedly genuine diamonds.

He was liked very much by his fellow employees here, and they are not at all disposed to believe that he is guilty of the offence charged.

The detective officer, R. S. Barron, registered at the Driard on Tuesday, July the 14th, and it is presumed that he visited the city in connection with this case.

Mr. Van Decar, Who employed Clute at the Driard, knew him quite well, as he had had him in his service some time ago, in Cranbrook.

## NELSON CONVENTION NAMES MR. GOODEVE

### To Contest Kootenay Electoral District in Conservative Interest

Nelson, B.C., July 21.—An the Conservative convention held in the Opera House here today, A. S. Goodeve, of Rossland, druggist, received the unanimous vote for nomination in the Federal constituency of Kootenay.

Six candidates were nominated: A. S. Goodeve, W. A. Macdonald, K.C., Nelson; R. S. Lennie, Nelson; R. F. Green, Kaslo; W. R. Ross, K.C., Fernie; J. H. Schofield, Trail.

All retired except Messrs. Goodeve and Ross. Upon a ballot being taken Mr. Goodeve was found to have received a large majority, and on the motion of Mr. Ross, the nomination was made unanimous.

Eight-five delegates and fifteen proxies were in attendance. R. S. Lennie was chairman. The proceedings, which were open to the press, were hearty and harmonious throughout. Resolutions of confidence in the McBride government and Mr. R. L. Borden, and in favor of better terms, adjustment of the tariff on lumber, and exclusion of Chinese, and condemning graft and delayed elections.

Tonight a largely attended mass meeting in the opera house was addressed by W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary of Ontario, Candidate Goodeve and many other speakers.

### Crisis in Turkey.

London, July 21.—A special despatch to the Daily Telegraph from Constantinople says there is not the slightest doubt that Turkey is suffering the greatest crisis in her internal affairs that it is possible to imagine. The Sultan, continues the correspondent, is furious with his ministers, who, he declares are responsible for the situation in Macedonia, and whom he accuses of misleading him as to the true facts of the situation. They have advised him to pardon the officers now waiting the courtmartial, but he obstinately refuses to do this and declares that the ministers are traitors.

### Brokers Fail

New York, July 21.—The suspension of Cameron Currie & Co., of New York and Detroit, was announced on the floor of the stock exchange today. The firm went into the hands of receiver in Detroit last week. Its liabilities at that time were give nat a little more than a million dollars.

### Regina Men Get Contract.

Regina, Sask., July 21.—The new collegiate institute contract was let this morning to Wilson and Wilson, local men, for $105,000.

### Former Pastor Dead.

Montreal, July 21.—News reached the city today of the death in Waverley, Mass., of Rev. A. G. Uppam, former pastor of the Olivet Baptist church in this city.

### Saskatchewan's Fair.

Regina, Sask., July 21.—Promptly at 1.30 this afternoon Governor Forget declared the first Saskatchewan provincial fair open to the public. Over two thousand entries have been made, and it was necessary to erect seven extra stables for stock.

### Miners Want Arbitration.

Ottawa, July 21.—The employees of the Cobalt central mines have asked for the appointment of a board of conciliation and investigation in the dispute regarding wages and hours, J. B. Doutre has been chosen as representative for the men.

### Locomotive Engineers.

Ottawa, July 21.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers opened their annual convention here today. There are some two thousand members in attendance from all parts of Canada and the United States. The convention continues for three days. This evening a large public meeting was held in the Russell theatre, at which W. A. Galliher, M.P., and Robert Stewart, M.P., will deliver addresses.

## GLOWING PROSPECTS FOR PRAIRIE COUNTRY

### Ogilvie Milling Company's Reports on Crops Are Satisfactory

Winnipeg, July 21.—In an interview this morning, W. A. Black, manager of the Ogilvie Milling company, said:

"Reports received in respect to the crops from our buyers and inspectors throughout Manitoba and the other provinces, fully confirm the opinion I formed during my trip, which extended over 1,700 miles through Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

"My estimate is," Mr. Black continued, "that we shall have a crop of wheat this year aggregating 120,000,000 bushels, providing the conditions continue favorable. This, as I said, is of wheat, and does not include barley, oats, flax or any other agricultural products, which I believe will show results quite as good compared with the acreage under crop.

"The cattle and other animals on the farms everywhere, too, were thriving, and this promises to be one of the most successful years in the history of the Canadian west, and should have a marked effect on the country's prosperity."

## BISHOP POTTER DEAD

### Head of New York Protestant Episcopal Diocese Passes Away After Many Weeks' Illness

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 21.—Henry Codman Potter, seventh Protestant Episcopal bishop of the diocese of New York, died tonight at Fernleigh, his summer home here, after an illness of several weeks. The bishop was unconscious all day, and the end, which came at 8.30 o'clock tonight, was peaceful and quiet. The bishop was 74 years of age. Death was due primarily to embolism in the right leg, following a long attack of liver and stomach trouble.

No arrangements for the funeral have as yet been made, but it is probable that services will be held here, and the body will be removed to New York, where a public funeral will be held at Grace church.

Bishop Potter was a native of Schenectady, N. Y. He had been the head of the New York diocese since 1887, succeeding his uncle, Bishop Horatio Potter. Bishop Potter was the son of Rev. Alonzo Potter, who was consecrated bishop of Pennsylvania in 1854, and was educated at the Episcopal academy in Philadelphia and the Theological seminary in Virginia. He was ordained a priest in 1858. Bishop Potter wrote extensively of his travels abroad and was a member of many well known New York clubs.

## BRANDON MILL SOLD

### Report That Plant Has Been Acquired By Maple Leaf Milling Company, of Kenora

Brandon, July 21.—It is reported here today that the Wheat City Milling Company's plant here has been sold at a good figure to the Maple Leaf Milling Company, of Kenora, in which D. C. Cameron has a controlling interest. Kenora parties made the offer for the Brandon mill to the Merchants Bank, in whose hands the property has been since the collapse of the Wheat City Milling Company some months ago. The offer was accepted, and it is stated that the deal is closed and the Maple Leaf Milling Company will extend the plant and resume operations on a larger scale than ever.

### President Cabrera's Disclaimer.

Mobile, July 21.—Dr. Andrew C. Deleon, consul general of Guatemala in this city, in a signed statement today denies the report that President Cabrera, of Guatemala, donated any money to the Republican campaign fund. He says that innumerable charges have been made against the president, and all of them have fallen flat.

## OPENING SPEECH OF CAMPAIGN

### Mr. Taft Will Consult President About Its Form and Subject Matter

### WOULD LIKE HIS CRITICISM

### Republican Committee's Headquarters to Be in Chicago

Hot Springs, Va., July 21.—President Roosevelt is to review in advance the speech Judge Taft will deliver in Cincinnati next Tuesday.

"I have decided to make this speech what may be my most important utterance of the campaign. I have the highest regard for the president's judgment regarding the subjects to be dealt with, and keen appreciation of his wonderful ability for forceful expression. I want his judgment and his criticism, and this cannot be satisfactorily obtained at long range, so I have decided to go to Oyster Bay."

This statement, made today by Mr. Taft, indicates his viewpoint regarding the announcement of his intended trip to Oyster Bay on Thursday, which, he says, is to be taken on his own and not on the president's initiative. He will leave here tomorrow night. Mr. Taft has been invited to spend the night as the guest of the president. He expects to leave New York for Cincinnati on Friday afternoon. This, he says, will give him two days there before the notification ceremonies are upon him.

In emphasizing the political importance of the speech, Mr. Taft said today that the first intention to have the utterance only a simple and formal acknowledgement of the situation had been abandoned.

The speech will doubtless contain approximately twelve thousand words. No forecast of the subjects discussed and the method of their treatment will be made in advance with the consent of Mr. Taft.

### Chicago Headquarters.

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 21.—Just before final adjournment tonight the members of the National Republican committee, in conference with Chairman F. H. Hitchcock, voted unanimously to establish headquarters in Chicago, instead of New York. Mr. Hitchcock's force will be established there as soon as he can get them together after his return to Chicago. All the work of the Taft forces will be directed from Chicago, even the collection of campaign funds.

## U. S. NAVAL CONFERENCE

### President Roosevelt to Talk Over Battleship Plans With Large Number of Experts

Newport, R.I., July 21.—As commander-in-chief of the U. S. army and navy, President Roosevelt will arrive here tomorrow morning on board his cruiser yacht, Mayflower, to attend the most important conference of naval officers ever held in this country. More than 100 officers, men of high rank and attainments in various branches of the naval service, will be present, and with them the president will go over in detail the plans of two battleships now building and the tentative drawings of others about to be laid off.

President Roosevelt will open the conference with an address in which he is expected to take up a number of important naval topics. The president's family also will be present. When the address is concluded the door of the conference room will be closed to all except officers of the war college, the general board of Washington and the special battleship commission.

This will be the first time the president has ever consulted with so large a numebr of naval experts, and it is believed he will take advantage of the occasion to draw from them their most advanced ideas as to modern battleship construction.

## FIREARMS USED

### Fatal Collision Between Deputies and Miners in Birmingham District of Alabama

Birmingham, Ala., July 21.—A clash between deputies and negro miners in the Blue Creek region, 20 miles south of Birmingham on the Birmingham mineral division of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, today resulted in the death of one negro and the serious injury to two deputies, Knewsome and Whatley.

The deputies were out guarding the hill overlooking the mining town until they saw armed negroes coming along the road. The deputies called to the negroes to stop, when fight was offered. Two of the negroes raised their guns. The deputies appeared to pick out one man, and he was literally filled with lead. The shooting created much excitement.

Following it a gatling gun was placed at Republic and one at Blossburg, and troops have been distributed so that they can be mobilized in a short time. The eviction of miners from company houses began at No. 7 mine, Pratt division, today. There was no disorder.

### Theatrical Divorce Case.

Reno, Nev., July 21.—Virginia Harned, the actress, and wife of Edward H. Sothern, the actor, today filed a suit for divorce in the district court of this city. The complaint is in a sealed document, and nothing can be learned of the character of the charges made. Whether Mr. Sothern will contest the divorce is not known.

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## COPPER MINING IN BOUNDARY COUNTRY

### W. C. Thomas, ex-Manager of Dominion Copper Co., En Route to Salt Lake City

Mr. W. C. Thomas, who for the past three years has been employed as the smelting manager at the works of the Dominion Copper company in the Boundary country, is at present in town, on his way to Salt Lake City, where he will reside in the future. Mr. Thomas states that mining matters are generally speaking looking very well indeed in the Boundary district, and the three smelters are busily engaged at work, the Granby at Grand Forks, the largest and by far the best equipped of the trio, with its backing of $15,000,000, and a daily output of some 4000 tons of ore, the B.C. Copper company's smelter near Greenwood with a capacity of from 1800 to 2000 tons; and the Dominion Copper company's smelter, three and a half miles below Greenwood, with a daily capacity of from 1000 to 1200 tons.

The principal mines of these three smelting companies are situated either at or very near Phoenix, although the B. C. Copper company hold important interests on the Mother Lode and at Deadwood camp, a short distance from Greenwood, and in addition the Napoleon and Lone Star mines in Washington state. The Granby smelter, which was closed down for a brief period, started up again in December last, and has since been handling about 4000 tons every day.

Although the Dominion company is at the present time only utilizing a new furnace with a daily capacity of about 600 tons, the company has the material advantage of more economical methods than are possible in their older plant. The Dominion Copper company, moreover, recently opened up a new ore body of very great promise in the Brooklyn. The ores in this district are placed directly in the blast furnaces, and it is this simplicity in handling which enables these mines with their comparatively low copper ore values to be mined with a fair profit. All these ores carry gold and silver, and while these values are not sufficient to defray the mining and smelting charges, nevertheless they cut a very respectable figure upon the balance sheet. Against the 26 to 30 pounds of copper matte which the Boundary country mines yield per ton the great mines in Butte, Montana, and near Salt Lake City, in Utah, yield from 60 to 80 pounds per ton, but en revanche, the latter must be roasted and concentrated, requiring the use of a flux such as iron ore or lime, and consequently the difference in point of profit is not so great as would otherwise be the case.

And although it cannot be denied that Greenwood had a rather hard winter it is satisfactory to learn that these three smelters are now busily engaged in operation, and that the prospects for the mining district generally are very good indeed. And while copper has sustained quite a drop, having fallen from the somewhat meteoric figure of 25 cents to something less than 13 cents per pound, on the other hand wages have also declined and with the adoption of more economical methods the future of the copper companies need not be painted in sombre colors.

Skilled miners now are receiving $3.50 instead of $4 per day; while the laborers are paid $2.50 instead of $3 per day, and moreover in consequence of the very general depression in the mining business, managers have the advantage of getting a much better class of men than was possible a year or something more ago when business was more active. And again a change for the better in the way of activity is considered to be quite probable after the presidential election is decided.

Mr. Samuel Neuhaus, the multimillionaire, who is heavily interested in mining ventures in Utah, Colorado, Montana and Nevada as well as in the great Nipissing mine in far-famed Cobalt and in British Columbia, plays a prominent part in the management of the fortunes of the Dominion Copper company.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are greatly taken with this city and its charming surroundings and after spending a few weeks here, in Vancouver and Seattle, will go back to Salt Lake City, their future home.

Mr. Thomas was born in Wales, but he comes of a Devonshire family, and as he has spent most of his life in the States he is an American citizen.

## DECLINED TO SIT

### Stipendary Magistrate Would Not Hear Case Against Automobile Owners

The automobile owners, charged by the Oak Bay municipality with failing to pay the license fees demanded of them for the privilege of operating their vehicles through that district for hire, came up before Stipendary Magistrate Henderson for trial yesterday morning.

The magistrate declined to hear the case on the ground that, as he was a member of the council responsible for the enactment of the regulations, of which they were charged with having ignored, he might be deemed biased.

It was decided, therefore, that the trial should be remanded to come before Magistrate Jay, of the local police court, as soon as the latter was able to give it a hearing.

## WILL NOT APPEAL

### City Must Foot the Bill if the Carroll Case Goes to the Full Court

The attorney general yesterday refused the request of the city to appeal to the full court against the decision of the chief justice in the Carroll case on the ground that the points involved are purely of municipal interest, so that the department would not be justified in spending the public money in embarking on expensive litigation on its behalf.

If, however, the city cares to foot the bill, the attorney general will do what he can to expedite the matter. The reply of the attorney general was in response to a request written by the city solicitors in compliance with the terms of an unanimous resolution of the council passed on Monday night.

**J. H. Macgill's Appointment.**

The post of superintendent of immigration at Vancouver will shortly be assumed by Mr. J. H. Macgill, a well known Vancouver barrister, well known in Victoria, where he was formerly a reporter for the Colonist. Dr. A. S. Monro, who has been in charge of federal immigration affairs at the mainland port for several years, is, as announced last week, giving up all the work save the medical portion, owing to the demands on his time being too great. Mr. Macgill's appointment will be made in the course of a few days. He will have charge of all the government staff, and on him will devolve all work in connection with the detention and deportation of undesirables. Owing to his legal training Mr. Macgill is particularly well fitted to discharge the duties of this important office.

**Would Deaden Glare.**

The suggestion has been made that the city, in laying the cement walks throughout the city and particularly in the downtown section, should make use of some coloring matter which would give the finished walk a duller color than at present. At present, on the bright sunny days, the walks give forth a glare which is trying to the eyes, and by making the walk of a duller color this inconvenience would be done away with. Other cities, it is stated, have adopted this policy with beneficial results.

## KERR IS IN FINALS OF THE TWO SPRINTS

### Shows Great Speed in 100 and 200 Metre Heats—Sebert in 400 Metres

London, July 21.—Bobby Kerr, the Hamilton sprinter, will run in the final of the 200 metre and also in the final of the 100 metre, Olympic events, having won his heats in semi-finals today.

In the 200 metre race Kerr won easily in 22 1-5 seconds, doing the best time of the day. Sebert and Lukeman ran second and third in their heats. Lukeman is not in condition, suffering from an injury to his foot.

In the 100 metre semi-finals, Kerr won from Sherman, the United States runner, beating him by two yards in 11 seconds. Manager Crocker afterwards said that this was a splendid win. The final of this event should be a grand race, including, as it does, Walker, of South Africa, Rector and Cartmell of the United States, all strong runners, who will be opposed to the Canadian.

Another Canadian victory was recorded in the 400 metres, when Sebert won his heat easily in 50 1-5 seconds. Buddo, the Montreal runner, was second by eight yards.

Better weather, a much larger attendance and exciting finishes made today's Olympic sports at the Stadium far and away more interesting than any that have preceded them. Melvin W. Sheppard, the Irish-American athlete, who took measure of the world's best distance men in the 1,500 metre run at the Olympic games last week, added another victory to his long list today when he won the 800 metre event, establishing a new Olympic record of 1.52 4-5 for the distance. Another gold medal went to America, when Harry F. Porter, of the Irish-American A.C., captured the high jump by clearing the bar at 6 feet 3 inches and beating the Olympic record made by J. K. Baxter in Paris in 1900, 6 feet 2 4-5 inches. While not as spectacular as the races, the running high jump was the most keenly contested event of the day. In the first section of this event, H. A. Gidney, Boston Athletic Association, was defeated by Monson of Norway and Leader of England, but on the ground that the spot where the other sections contested was more favorable to the jumpers than that of the first section, the protest was allowed, and Gidney in the second attempt did six feet one inch, thus qualifying for the finals. There he soon found more than his match in Leahey, the Irish champion, Porter, Somody of Hungary, and several others. Leahey, Somody and Andre of France tied for second place, each having topped the bar at six feet two inches. It was decided to give each a silver medal and award the palms for second and third places equally among the three countries.

In the heats of the 200 metre flat race, Lawson Robertson, Irish-American A.C., was defeated by Roche, the Irish champion, and W. W. May University of Illinois was compelled to take the dust of the fleet Canadian, Kerr.

In the heats of the 400 metres flat, the Americans took seven out of nine in which they started. J. B. Taylor, Irish-American A.C., the colored champion of the University of Pennsylvania, made his first appearance in this event, and won his heat. In the 100 metres sprint, the Americans, May and Stevens, lost their heat to Walker of South Africa, and Kerr, of Canada just beat Sherman of Dartmouth University, but the other two heats were gathered in for America by Rector and Robertson. There were four heats in the semi-finals of the 400 metre hurdle race, in two of which Americans contested and took both of them. The other two went to Great Britain.

## AMUSEMENTS

**At the Victoria.**

Mr. Lee Willard will be seen at the Victoria theatre in Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde this evening. Mr. Willard is accompanied by a strong supporting cast and his interpretation of the dual role has met with many encomiums throughout the northwest.

**At the Pantages.**

Torcat and D'Aliza, French eccentriques of two continents, are back again after an absence of four years, presenting an entirely different act. Mr. Rooster and family, a new, novel and humorous act at the Pantages. The act is original with Torcat, and the only one of its kind in the world. It consists of a dozen or so of educated roosters of different sizes and kinds, who individually crow at command, each in his own language. The roosters are busy fellows and are always doing something of their own account, when not acting to entertain the audience. The scraps they have among themselves are most amusing. There is a little French rooster not much larger than a quail, who continually challenges his brother roosters and when his fight is stopped tackles a big Cochin China, and even Torcat himself in an intensely combative way that sets the audience in a roar. Torcat, who is effectively assisted in all his acts by the cultured and attractive Mlle. Flor D'Aliza, next introduces his series of humorous pantomimic caricature, consisting of the giant nurse, D'Aliza's new geisha girl, and the jockey in the circus, all refined, amusing and brainy creations.

Atwood and Terry rank with the best in a most novel talking sketch. That is a scream of screams.

The balance of the bill is good, and the pictures are classy.

## ARBITRATION BOARD ON C. P. R. TROUBLE

### Majority and Minority Reports Are Sent in to the Labor Department

Winnipeg, July 21.—The finding of the arbitration board to adjust the differences in dispute between the C.P.R. and the mechanical unions has been made public by the minister of labor, there being a minority and a majority report. Mr. Somerville, for the men, refused to sign the majority report.

In the more important issues of the case the men have been upheld by the board, the changes recommended being chiefly with regard to details of shop management, and these are largely in favor of the company. The report has the appearance of being a most reasonable and equitable attempt at settlement.

The board recommends that there be no change in the rate of pay, and as there would be but a small percentage of the men affected by the sliding scale asked for by the company, the board cannot see the utility of such an arrangement.

On eastern lines a nine-hour day was asked for, but on a promise that the company would grant the shorter day as soon as the other companies would agree, the board would not recommend any changes.

On the question of schedule committees the board recommends that there be but one committee for the whole system, but that meetings with officials be held in Montreal and Winnipeg. The car men will be included in this committee, and their schedules will be arranged at the same time.

With regard to committee representation in the shops, where time is lost by the men when a claim is under investigation, they will be paid for their time if it is shown that a grievance exists, otherwise not. Specialists are allowed on certain classes of work, such as the drill press. The contention of the company with regard to boilermakers has been allowed, giving an extra class with a schedule of forty cents per hour. There will be no change in the proportion of apprentices except in the machine shop, where a percentage of four to one is recommended.

On the question of the make-up of the wrecking crew, the present clause regarding machinists on the crew is struck out, and the request of the company for overlapping hours is recommended. As to helpers, the contention of the men that helpers be not allowed to use tools is upheld, and there is no change in that clause. In the case of a necessity for a reduction of expenses in the shop, the old rule still holds whereby the working hours are shortened instead of a general staff reduction being made.

Grant Hall, superintendent of motive power, states that the C.P.R. will accept the findings of the conciliation board, as public opinion is strongly in favor of the recommendations from such board being accepted by both sides. They will be in effect on August 1 to last till April 1 next year.

Mr. Somerville, the men's arbitrator, has gone to Chicago to consult the head machinists' union, accompanied by McVeity, of Vancouver. He made no statement.

## THEFT OF FISH

### Fish Company Employes Caught in the Act of Carrying Off Stolen Goods

Charged with the theft of a quantity of fish from the warehouse of Findlay, Durham & Brodie's wharf, where the shipments of fish which daily arrive at that wharf are stored, R. Roberts and Albert Mather were last night arrested when they were just in the act of pulling away from the wharf after having practically filled their boat with fish. Detective Clayards, who was on the watch for the thieves, waited until the men had secured a good load before he stepped in and arrested them. They will be arraigned today.

For weeks past there has been systematic thieving of fish from along the wharves. So brazen have the thieves become that it was a common occurrence for the company to lose from forty to fifty fish a day. This thieving, it was suspected, was being done by some of the employees of the fishing company and at last it became so bold that it was determined to put an end to the practice and last night the police were asked to locate the thieves. It is claimed that the system of the thieves was to sell the stolen fish to the Chinese peddlars and it is believed that they secured a considerable sum in this way.

## SASKATCHEWAN ELECTION

### Legislature is Dissolved and New House is to Be Elected on the 14th of Next Month

Regina, Sask., July 21.—The first legislative assembly of the province of Saskatchewan was dissolved yesterday, and the writs issued for a new election. Nomination day has been fixed for Friday, August 7, and polling one week later, on August 14.

The reason for dissolution at this time is to give the earliest possible effect to the new redistribution, increasing the membership in the legislature from 25 to 41. The intention is to hold a fall session, and if the present under-represented portions of the province are to be given their proper representation therein, an election must be held immediately so as not to have it conflict with an impending early harvest.

At the fall session it is proposed to pass a new municipal act for the rural communities and it is considered of the utmost importance that all sections of the province should be adequately represented and pass upon this new measure, which will be of such great moment to all the people.

Elections will take place in forty out of the forty-one constitutiencies into which the province is divided under the new redistribution act, polling in the constitutency of Athabasca not taking place until some time later, as provided for by law. The elections will be held under the new election act, which was passed at the recent session, and which was so warmly commended by the leader of the opposition. By that it is provided that in the event of lists of voters not being completed at the time of an election, lists shall be prepared by process of enumerating, as prevailed in the Dominion elections in the old Northwest Territories.

Conventions for the nomination of candidates for both parties will likely be called at early dates all over the province. At the present time there are one government and two opposition candidates in the field as follows: Weyburn, Dr. Mitchell, government; George Beischell, opposition; Moose Jaw county, Harry Dorrell, opposition.

The first match between the Shamrocks and New Westminster for the Minto cup goes to the Royal City aggregation. They are a goal ahead of their rivals as a result. The announcement was received in Victoria yesterday with enthusiasm, demonstrating that Capital City sportsmen are with the western twelve in their plucky effort to capture the championship "heart and soul." Now they must possess themselves in patience for a week before the final outcome will be known.

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# RESULTS PUBLISHED IN URBAN EXAMINATIONS

## Victoria Schools Show Up Well —Nelson Has the Best Record of All

The results of the urban entrance high school examinations were made public yesterday and the results show that out of 607 candidates in the whole province, 483 passed. There were 33 Nelson candidates, of whom 32 passed, while Miss Anna Palmquist, of that city, with 846 marks out of a possible 1,000, secured the largest percentage of any student in the province.

Victoria also made a good showing, with 60 successful candidates out of 77 who wrote for the examination. The leading pupil was again a girl, Miss Florence M. Penny gaining 792 marks. She hails from the South Park school. Ther eare twelve examination centres as will be seen from the subjoined list.

| | Number of Candidates. | Passed. |
|---|---|---|
| Cumberland | 8 | 7 |
| Grand Forks | 9 | 8 |
| Kamloops | 19 | 12 |
| Kaslo | 8 | 5 |
| Nanaimo | 20 | 16 |
| Nelson | 33 | 32 |
| New Westminster | 59 | 50 |
| Revelstoke | 19 | 16 |
| Rossland | 14 | 12 |
| Vancouver | 324 | 249 |
| Vernon | 17 | 16 |
| Victoria | 77 | 60 |

Total number of candidates, 607; passed, 483.

### Bronze Medals.

The fifteen bronze medals annually donated by His Excellency the Governor-General have been won by the following:

Armstrong, Russel Hunter; Golden, Ruth Armstrong; Grand Forks, Maurice S. Hay; Kamloops, Marion H. Palmer; Kaslo, George W. Lingard; Kelowna, Ira Dilworth; Ladysmith, Geraldine Hirst; Nanaimo, Alfred F. Brown; Nelson, Anna Palmquist New Westminster, Laura E. De Beck; Revelstoke, Frances M. Lawson; Rossland, Arthur E. Goodem; Vancouver, Wyndom Shannon; Vernon, Annie A. Skinner; Victoria, Florence M. Penny.

### Results of Examinations.

The detailed results of the examinations in the different examination centres are appended:

### Cumberland Centre.

Total number of candidates, 8; passed, 7.

Cumberland—Number of candidates, 3; passed, 2; Effie McFadyen, 631; George Stewart, 573.

Comox—Number of candidates, 3; passed, 3; Mabel Mathewson, 650; Norman Pritchard, 649; Olive Carthew, 590.

Courtenay—Number of candidates, 2; passed, 2; Frank Shopland, 692; Catherine Fraser, 592.

### Grand Forks Centre.

Total number of candidates, 9; passed, 8.

Grand Forks—Number of candidates, 9; passed, 8; Maurice S. Hay, 775; Carlton M. Clement, 769; William T. Cook, 728; James J. C. Atwood, 723; Maude Wooster, 716; Fulton J. Chapple, 665; Sarah H. Barron, 640; Marion L. Nichols, 628.

### Kamloops Centre.

Total number of candidates, 19; passed, 12.

Kamloops—Number of candidates, 17; passed, 10; John C. Stevenson, 691; Annie F. Howell, 675; Maud T. Batchelor, 637; Thomas S. Manson, 627; Margaret S. Armour, 612; Florence E. Blair, 590; Ethel E. Mc Cannell, 578; J. Dallas Slavin, 569; Myrtle Loney, 566; William McDonald, 565.

Campbell Creek—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 1; Anna M. Curry, 596.

St. Ann's Convent—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 1; Jvonna Latremonille, 659.

### Kaslo Centre.

Total number of candidates, 8; passed, 5.

Kaslo—Number of candidates, 7; passed, 5; Geo. W. Lingard, 681; Basil Porritt, 638; William E. Mackay, 619; Everett E. Zwicky, 614; Clarence J. White, 589.

Ainsworth—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 0.

### Nanaimo Centre.

Total number of candidates, 20; passed, 16.

Nanaimo—Number of candidates, 15; passed, 15; Clarence T. D. Case, 736; Dorothea Fisher, 735; James Caldwell, 721; Robert J. Stewart, 710; Cicely M. Lawrence, 709; Gertrude B. Piper, 705; Ethel Grant, 685; Chas. H. Hardy, 659; Chas. M. Westwood, 650; Windell W. Knott, 642; Lucy Hodgson, 606; Reginald H. Goodman, 589; Ellwyn H. Davis, 576; Isabell P. Rowe, 568; Elsie Dobson, 567.

East Cedar—Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

South Cedar—Number candidates, 1; passed, 1; Percival Duggan, 640.

Chase River—Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

Mountain—Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

South Gabriola—Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

### Nelson Centre

Total number of candidates, 33; passed, 32.

Nelson—Number candidates, 25; passed, 25. Anna Palmquist, 864; Hugh Fletcher, 803; Albert Ponpore, 799; Mable Astley, 769; Arthur Gilker, 579; Enid Etter, 755; Marion Wade, 752; Maude Simons, 748; Beatrice Fennell, 746; William Gunn, 738; Mary Donaldson, 733; Chas. Pearcy, 733; Alice McKissock, 725; Beatrice Ebbs, 719; Clyde Emory, 719; Margaret Hannah, 712; Bella Campbell, 709; Harry Gibbs, 705; Samson Waters, 690; Bertha Barker, 688; Hugh Gunn, 685; Flossie McVicar, 685; Bina Taylor, 683; Harry Pitts, 648; Mabel Steele, 637.

Hume—Number candidates, 3; passed, 2; Ruby Gilchrist, 647; Helen A. Balding, 595.

Granite Siding—Number candidates, 1; passed, 1; Elsie N. Mansfield, 621.

Salmo—Number candidates, 2; passed, 2; Alfred Spencer, 808; Clifford D. Grutchfield, 584.

Ymir—Number candidates, 2; passed, 2; Edward F. O'Neill, 746; Alex. McLeod, 652.

### New Westminster, Centre

Total number of candidates, 59; passed, 50. Boys' central, number of candidates, 23; passed, 21; John A. Fetherstonhaugh, 739; E. Ronald Gilley, 733; H. Eldon Cooper, 681; Geo. K. Sangster, 674; Wm. H. Innes, 653; Geo. Sutherland, 642; J. Royden Gilley, 637; Herbert W. Jagger, 635; R. Clansin Armstrong, 631; Fred Staten, 631; Geo. L. Trapp, 631; Allen M. Shaw, 629; J. Douglas Hardman, 620; H. Leslie Davis, 611; Kenneth Gunn, 606; Ronald F. Whitaker, 604; Alfred Oakley, 602; John R. Mercer, 601; Hugo Johnson, 590; Alva Currie, 571; Wilfrid Courtney, 533.

Girls' Central—Number candidates, 23; passed, 23; Laura E. DeBeck, 769; Eileen R. Gilley, 752; Ruth E. Wintemute, 748; Annie R. Phillips, 739; Barbara M. West, 723; Ida M. Buckland, 721; Florence Eickhoff, 717; Carrie M. Robson, 714; Emily M. Burkitt, 708; Gladys R. Osborne, 708; May E. Cassady, 706; Clara E. Wilson, 703; Marie C. Morrow, 674; Mary E. Scott, 670; Gladys I. Butters, 663; Annie Mercer, 658; Winifred L. Hill, 644; Mildred G. Steen, 642; Crissie B. Marshall, 617; Lillia A. Pentland, 599; Eleanor C. Findlay, 598; Elsie M. V. Lord, 590; Bessie G. Kirkland, 587.

Westside—Number candidates, 8; passed, 3; Leonard Tupper, 755; Margaret Bacchus, 635; John Ross, 594.

Sapperton—Number candidates, 2; passed, 2; Kenneth G. McKenzie, 567; Saburo Shinobut, 555.

Dundonald—Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

Port Moody—Number candidates, 2; passed, 1; Grace Ems, 703.

### Revelstoke, Centre

Total number candidates, 19; passed, 16.

Revelstoke—Number candidates, 14; passed, 13; Frances M. Lawson, 733; Ella B. McCarty, 683; Clare Fraser, 682; Ruby N. Berger, 680; Doris I. Bennett, 672; Donald G. S. Calder, 635; Mary J. Manning, 632; Jas. L. Lawrence, 591; John MacRury, 588; Alex. T. McRae, 577; Geo. S. Woodland, 574; John A. Abrahamson, 573; Ellwin Corley, 572.

Arrowhead—Number candidates, 3; passed, 3; May Bull, 690; Florence C. M. Newman, 636; Phyllis Whitebread, 636.

Beaton—Number candidates, 2; passed, 0.

### Rossland Centre.

Total number of candidates, 14; passed, 12.

Rossland—Number of candidates, 10; passed, 9; Arthur E. Goodene, 668; Albin C. Freeman, 642; Jennie Inuches, 623; Frank S. Hobbs, 618; Myrtle Stanton, 608; Martha M. Demuth, 601; Geo. M. Jones, 581; David G. Kenning, 573; William Ehlers, 559.

Trail.—Number of candidates, 4; passed, 3; Violet E. Hall, 684; Katherine E. McKay, 609; George W. Weir, 598.

### Vernon Centre.

Total number of candidates, 17; passed, 16.

Vernon—Number of candidates, 14; passed, 14; Annie A. Skinner, 773; Ella J. Megaw, 762; Geo. L. Smith, 753; Harold M. Doherty, 720; Katherine H. Coscterton, 697; James C. O'Keefe, 666; Eva M. Doherty, 610; Beatrice Wood, 609; Teresa McDonell, 595; Bertha Manning, 590; Francis A. Strout, 567; Vercie F. Miller, 555; A. Lawrence Gordon, 552; Charles P. Haugh, 551.

Lumby.—Number of candidates, 2; passed, 1; William E. Murphy, 591.

Commonage.—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 1; J. A. Herbert Macquarrie, 618.

### Vancouver Centre.

Total number of candidates, 324; passed, 249.

Central.—Number of candidates, 18; passed, 14; Arthur Richards, 683; Jessie Anderson, 674; Gladys Morgan, 674; Mildred Barber, 664; Sydney Evans, 662; Charles Douglas, 652; Clara Divall, 626; Mildred Gibbens, 620; Aileen Weart, 613; Amy Goddard, 596; John Giguere, 582; Stanley Davidson, 581; Elmer Barber, 579; Alex. Leitch, 550.

Dawson I.—Number of candidates, 21; passed, 17; Dorothy Cowperthwaite, 753; Evelyn B. Lipsett, 700; Grace F. Clark, 666; Kate J. Selkirk, 629; Viola J. Clapp, 622; Arthur S. Doble, 616; Sybil E. Gibbins, 612; Greta P. Shaw, 604; Vivian Wickware, 603; Catherine Loutit, 596; Robert Kennedy, 594; Freeman A. Davidson, 594; William J. Splan, 594; Kenneth V. Phillips, 589; Richard A. Seymour, 577; Dorothy G. Chandler, 558; R. Percy Cunningham, 552.

Dawson II.—Number of candidates, 33; passed, 20: Alice M. Robison, 651; Marjorie H. Thicke, 646; Harry F. Devlin, 645; Bonner G. Holmes, 634; Marie E. Selman, 617; Harkley R. McLeod, 614; William Smirl, 612; Alfred L. Solloway, 610; Ernest E. Lord, 610; Annie MacPhail, 597; Martha J. Calder, 596; May L. McMillan, 590; Sidney A. Mowat, 589; Leslie M. Leach, 574; Hilda Alice White, 571; James L. Pyke, 560; Ida A. McLeod, 557; Maude V. Cripps, 56; Ruth M. Lawson, 552; Beatrice I. Nelson, 550.

Dawson III.—Number of candidates, 2; passed 0.

Fairview.—Number of candidates, 29; passed 26; Wyndow Shannon, 827; Maggie Risk, 739; Laura White, 734; Geo. Schofield, 696; John Macdonald, 689; Adele York, 675; Grace Smith, 661; Brian Perry, 658; Harold Wilson, 649; Charles Hilton, 648; Dudley Durrant, 641; Percy LeNiven, 640; Hettie Cunningham, 638; Colin Edwards, 638; Eunice Cross, 630; Belle Fraser, 622; May Vermilyea, 618; Florence Shrapnel, 606; Alma Noble, 599; Frank Wilson, 599; Geo. Palmer, 598; Evelyn Bolton, 588; Geo. England, 585; Olive Macpherson, 585; Helen Moore, 567; Christine Simpson, 557.

Kitsilano.—Number of candidates, 17; passed 16; Thomas S. B. Shearman, 728; Thomas H. Boyd, 709; Richard A. Kendall, 675; Willard McLellan, 674; John A. Doidge, 673; Frank W. Davis, 634; William F. Coldwell, 632; Silvia O. Lockhart, 622; Evelena Ryder, 622; Herbert Haley, 621; Jessie M. Milne, 613; Hilda M. Gordon, 608; Ernest F. Doidge, 603; William Bentley, 588; Harry S. Holloway, 586; Duncan Ten Broeck, 557.

Model—Number of candidates, 36; passed, 32; Beatrice E. Starr, 795; Grace E. Bernard, 759; Cleland Russell, 727; Beulah P. Kelly, 723; Andrew M. Muck, 707; Mabel A. Mersdorf, 704; Lily F. Coles, 701; Harriet A. Stubbs, 695; Mabel Bower, 692; Wm. N. Kemp, 691; Walter G. Henning, 667; Edith Ross, 651; Frank Burse, 644; Millie Wakefield, 642; Mervyn Lee, 635; Chas. G. Poore, 633; Eleanor J. Shreene, 627; Margaret J. McQuarrie, 620; Levi Handy, 614; Walter H. Crummer, 610; Elsie M. McAllister, 610; Ernest V. Ingram, 606; Elizabeth Shannon, 604; Fred. O. Bell, 588; Allan G. McLelan, 588; Millie Stratton, 586; Edith G. MacAuley, 579; Iona Sherman, 576; Alvin W. Davison, 575; Jas. L. Powell, 574; Euphemia S. Johnston, 564; Minnie Wells, 550.

Mount Pleasant—Number of candidates, 31; passed, 23; Augustus Bailey, 708; Marion Nelson, 691; Wm. Bell, 687; Roy Hunter, 671; Mabel Cooke, 670; Regis Grimmett, 666; Leonard Rolston, 656; Wanda Schwesinger, 647; Alfred Banham, 640; Robert Cook, 637; John Anderson, 632; Kate Smith, 631; Hazel Drake, 615; Margaret Shergold, 600; Albert James, 596; Olive Rogers, 594; Dorothy Nelson, 589; Marguerite DesBrisay, 587; Bessie Anderson, 585; Harold McDonald, 583; Montie Denton, 570; Kathleen Whyte, 569; Alice Quigley, 565.

Roberts—Number of candidates, 41; passed, 39; Molly Frame, 754; Gwendolyn Haworth, 741; Leonard Lockyer, 728; Chas. Carnsew, 723; Lole Stewart, 720; Harold Watts, 720; Phoric Honeyman, 716; Agnes Hamilton, 698; Walter Nichol, 690; Chas. Knox, 680; Janet Sclater, 679; Ian Gibson, 673; James Hermon, 672; Olive Newman, 670; de St. Denis Duchesnay, 659; Harold Gibson, 659; Louise Honeyman, 657; Jas. McMillan, 656; Douglas Law, 655; Richard Gosse, 655; Harold Webster, 651; Allan Sutton, 650; Vira Bissett, 649; Neil Gilchrist, 641; Harry Wade, 641; Fraser Jamieson, 638; Helen McNaughton, 637; Elsie Whittington, 635; Chas. Peart, 633; Violet Caspell, 532; Arthur Kyle, 619; Leslie Ratcliffe, 616; Geo. Leckie, 615; Roberta Stewart, 614; Ada Dixon, 606; Rosalie Morris, 602; Elizabeth Priestly, 586; Anna Kilmer, 584; Warren Hastings, 579.

Seymour—Number of candidates, 19; passed, 14; Viola B. Gill, 767; Chas. J. Batterham, 710; Benjamin Butler, 690; Edward H. Newton, 688; Alice M. Evans, 674; Kenneth E. Pooke, 673; Wm. T. Kelly, 656; Bertha M. Kelly, 631; Ella G. Cameron, 627; Fred. A. Gosse, 626; Robert McEwan, 614; Patrick F. Enright, 581; Mary A. Murphy, 575; Jas. J. Niven, 573.

Strathcona—Number of candidates, 16; passed, 15; Minetta Crawford, 715; Myer Franks, 658; Grace McIntosh, 655; Ellen McLellan, 654; Victor Zellinsky, 639; Amy McArdle, 638; Marjorie South, 638; Vera Leard, 633; Hilma Price, 633; Milton Gonzales, 615; Sarah Brown, 597; Henry Olsen, 589; Stella Young, 584; Clara Perrin, 583; Alfred Olsen, 574.

Burnaby West—Number of candidates, 6; passed, 3; Maxwell Ford, 632; Mackie Smith, 603; Chas. C. Bell, 591.

Collingwood Heights—Number of candidates, 11; passed, 3; Agnes F. Wilbers, 669; Margery MacDonald, 590; Marshall Lawson, 580.

Tuck's Station—Number of candidates, 3; passed, 1; Eva Champion, 572.

Lulu Island—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 1; Edith Lyners, 650.

English—Number of candidates, 1; passed, 0.

North Arm—Number of candidates, 2; passed, 1; Stella B. Rowlign, 633.

Sea Island—Number of candidates, 3; passed, 2; Ethel Miller, 620; Mabel Buckingham, 550.

St. Ann's Academy—Number of candidates, 4; passed, 4; Gertrude O'Sullivan, 698; Essie Leonhardt, 622; Cecilia Morton, 612; Esther Floyd, 595.

Steveston—Number candidates, 9; passed, 2; Leleah Wescott, 652; Norman Marshall, 571.

St. Mary's—Number of candidates, 3; passed, 1; Geo. Parker, 624.

North Vancouver—Number candidates, 8; passed, 7; Marion D. Marcon, 656; Alfred F. Shaw, 647; Duncan Lawson, 644; Glen McMillan, 623; Nellie Phillips, 603; Raymond Baxter, 603; Minnie Fogg, 677.

South Vancouver—Number candidates, 4; passed, 3; Chas. Hay, 596; Viva Hay, 586; Gordon Smith, 563.

Mountain View—Number candidates, 4; passed, 3; Lucy N. Draper, 663; Christine Crebbin, 658; Bernice Dobson, 630.

Private — Number candidates, 2; passed, 2; Hamish Cameron, 581; Archie MacArthur, 579.

### Victoria Centre

Total number of candidates, 77; passed 60.

Girls' Central—Number candidates, 13; passed 10; Bina Brynjolfson, 732; Beatrice Williscroft, 656; Marjorie Greig, 651; Lillian Johnson, 624; Ethel MacEachern, 617; Kate Halliday, 615; Bessie McCreary, 577; Kate M. astie, 570; Eva H. Mess, 569; Janet Macrae, 558.

North Ward—Number candidates, 20; passed 14; Esther M. Hall, 697; Isabel Clarke, 673; Emma L. Gommoson, 672; Gerald C. Foote, 653; Hazel Tait, 648; Norma Jones, 640; Herbert McKenzie, 635; Gladys M. Ledingham, 619; Blanche Vaio, 591; Roy Ledingham, 590; Maude Ledingham, 577; May E. Moir, 568; Hazel Morrison, 565; Helen Thompson, 560.

South Park—Number candidates, 27; passed, 21; Florence Penny, 792; Olivia G. Cameron, 740; Walter E. H. Godson, 718; Douglas MacDougall, 713; Raymond Myers, 710; Henry Caldwell, 659; Everard L. Laundy, 658; Katie M. Jackson, 654; Mildred A. Van Gieson, 648; Eleanor Starret, 646; Evelyn A. Dickinson, 644; Florence Dickinson, 639; Albert E. Rumsby, 629; Herbert C. Laundy, 628; Percy J. Salmon, 628; Laura M. Gawley, 624; Honor Nash, 613; Florence M. Flett, 581; Vera I. Macfarlane, 562; Emily M. Hall, 557; Leonard W. Noble, 550.

Victoria West—Number candidates, 5; passed 4; Wallace MacKell, 658; Jas. Colvin, 599; Bertha Ramsay, 698; Violet Evans, 589.

Esquimalt—Number candidates, 5; passed, 5; Ralph Bell, 653; Robert Stewart, 631; Eleanor Nankivell, 605; Alex. Mulcahy, 604; Gerald Ledger, 594.

St. Ann's Convent—Number candidates, 6; passed 6; Adele Walther, 762; Flora Hamilton-Burns, 693; Etheldred McElhinny, 666; Lillian Piercy, 655; Helen Richardson, 630; Francis Davy, 590.

Private — Number candidates, 1; passed, 0.

## LETTERS TO EDITOR

### Let All Unite.

Sir—It is unnecessary to say that I, like many Victorians whose lot of life is cast in this lovely city, appreciate the endeavors of The Colonist to bring before the public the necessity of obtaining a proper supply of water.

To find a hospital with a shortage of water, which to my knowledge happened in May last, is so serious a state of affairs that one can hardly realize how the authorities can hesitate in the securing of an adequate supply at the earliest moment.

Mr. E. V. Bodwell indicates a way. Why should any citizen try to block the purchase of the Esquimalt water works if it can furnish the necessary supply at an earlier date than any other scheme? Surely, as citizens, we can sink our idiosyncracies for the health and welfare of our fair city. I apologize for taking up your time but the thermometer is high and water low. There is a tide in the affairs of man if taken at the flood leads on to fortune, etc., etc.

GRANVILLE CUPPAGE.

### The Water Question.

Sir—The seriousness of our water question seems at last to have dawned upon the citizens of Victoria, but, wholesome as the present discussion may be, an ounce of tangible action would, I think, be worth the whole of it. Any alleviation of our sufferings during the present summer is out of the question. Let us turn our attention to 1909. Is the course now being taken by the council calculated to afford us relief within that year. The reservoir, new pumps and improved distribution are no doubt excellent in their way, but it seems ludicrous to rely upon them unless the source of supply is sufficient. That question must be the root of the whole matter.

We are told, on authority, that we are at present consuming three million gallons per day, which quantity is altogether insufficient for our wants. I think, judging from this latter fact, it would be a low estimate to put our requirements at five million gallons. It appears to me that for next year we are asked to pin our faith on a source which Mr. Adams has told us, in the most positive terms, cannot, under any circumstances, supply more than two million eight hundred thousand gallons. We are certainly told by the same authority that universal metering will make a great saving, and that little more than half what we now consume will, under that system, be found sufficient for all and more than all our wants. I am not so foolish as to question Mr. Adams' authority in a truly professional matter, but I think the question of supply of water per head required in Victoria, hardly comes under that head, and that the opinion of one residing in the city and knowing the conditions there. Climate, habits, etc., may, without presumption, be worth stating. Taking then these conditions into account, and that the change will be, not from no meters to universal meters, but from a system under which, all the largest consumers are already supplied by meter, I do not believe it possible that anything at all approaching the estimated saving will be realized. If I am right then we are going to be worse off next summer than we are at present. There seems to be only one remedy. To give immediate notice for a supply from the E. W. W. company and to offer a bonus for every month under the statutory term. If this had been done when I advocated it last year we should now have been enjoying abundance of water. If I understand the position as stated by Mr. Bodwell, this course need not prejudice the city's power of expropriation during the statutory five years.

EDWARD MUNGRAVE.

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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The evening newspaper and certain individuals in this city have recently been busying themselves with statements regarding the motives of the Colonist and its management in connection with its advocacy of the acquisition of the Goldstream water supply. This sort of criticism is so characteristic of a certain class of Victorians, and the matter in connection with which the insinuations referred to are made is of such vital interest, that we propose to depart from our usual course, state a few facts and invite these narrow-minded, suspicious people to come out into the open and say publicly what they have hitherto only had the courage to whisper in private or utter in an indefinite way. For this purpose the columns of the Colonist are at their disposal. One gentlemen said yesterday that he did not like to say what he thought, for he did not want to get the Colonist down on him. For his information and for the information of every one else, we may state here that when the present management of th Colonist finds it impossible to conduct this paper without directing what influence it may possess against any citizen in his private capacity, it will withdraw from the publishing business. If there is any individual in Victoria or elsewhere, who has or thinks he has any information, knowledge or argument, whereby he can demonstrate that the Colonist or any one connected with it has a dollar's worth of pecuniary interest in the Esquimalt Water Works company or anything whatever to gain from the acquisition of the property by the city, apart from what every citizen may have to gain, he is hereby invited to use the columns of the Colonist to state such information, knowledge or argument, and we hereby undertake and guarantee to publish what any reputable citizen may write on this subject over his own signature without alteration, and we also hereby guarantee and promise that no action, prosecution or any legal proceeding of any kind whatever will be taken by the Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited, or any one connected with the company or the Colonist newspaper on account of any matter or thing which such person or persons may write us for publication.

In order to facilitate the efforts of those who may be disposed to accept this invitation, we may state that Mr. J. S. H. Matson, Managing Director of the Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited, represents the owner of three hundred and forty-two shares of the capital stock of the Esquimalt Water Works company, which is of the par value of $32,000, and which has been known to the public for months past, and that this block of stock will be turned over to the city at $175.00 per share, or less, if it will facilitate the procuring by the city of a permanent supply of water. It was stated on the street yesterday that the relations of the Colonist to the Esquimalt Water Works Company could not be ascertained without access to the books of the Colonist company. In reply to this we state that the Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited, will permit its share books, its minute books, and all its other books, which might be supposed to cast a light upon any relations between it and the Esquimalt Water Works company, to be examined by any responsible person who desires information upon that point. And the Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited, its Managing Director and all others connected with the editing or management of the Colonist hereby authorize the Esquimalt Water Works Company, its Manager, directors and officials, to give to any person, who may seek for the same, any information which may be in the possession of that company or any of its officers and may be supposed to have any direct or indirect bearing upon any real or supposed relations between the two companies or between the Water Works Company and any person in any way connected with the Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited, or the Colonist newspaper.

The Colonist has contended and still contends that it would be good policy for the City of Victoria to acquire the whole property of the Esquimalt Water Works Company, if the same can be obtained for $1,000,000. We recommend that the City Council shall appoint a committee to ascertain if the company will sell its property for that price, or if not, at what price it will sell. If the price is exorbitant, we recommend that the Water Commissioner shall proceed forthwith to exercise the powers vested in him by statute and do everything that the law will permit him to do in the premises.

We concede that the improvements in progress will give a greater supply from Elk Lake, but we hold that this increased supply will be consumed by the people of Victoria very soon after the improvements are concluded, that is by the present consumers and the ordinary increase of the population. We direct attention to the fact that the present improvements contemplate not a "sufficient" supply, but a metered supply, which is the minimum with which people can get along. We protest against delay until a shortage has come about and then a panicky rush to secure a new supply.

We concede everything that can be justly claimed for the quality and quantity of the Sooke Lake supply, and if the Water Commissioner, in the exercise of his powers, decides that this is the source to which the city must look to supplement the present supply, and will forthwith take such steps as are necessary to bring that water to the city, we shall make no objection.

Last night the Times said: "It is apparent that either the effect of the improvements now under way upon the Elk Lake system or the possibility of developments in connection with the Goldstream system have alarmed the persons, who whatever their motives, have persistently endeavored to unload the latter system upon the people of Victoria." Has the Times the courage to say to whom it refers by the word "persons" in the above quotation? If it will state in so many words specifically and without equivocation what it implies by this sentence, mentioning names and every circumstance and piece of information in its possession or any guess that it can make that any person is endeavoring to unload the property of the Water Works company upon the city and that either the Colonist, or our correspondent, Mr. E. V. Bodwell, has any desire or intention in that direction we undertake to print what it says without altering a single word in the columns of this paper on the morning following that upon which it displays the courage to accept this challenge. If it fails to do so, or to withdraw its insinuation, it will stand branded before the community, in which it is published, as a cowardly slanderer. We repeat that we challenge the Times to say plainly what it insinuates. If it lacks the courage to do this, let it hold its peace and leave honest people to discuss questions of public interest.

In what has been above stated we have endeavored to be absolutely frank. With some little hesitation we mention the fact, which we hardly think will be denied, that the Colonist in its humble way has striven to advance the welfare of Victoria. At an expenditure of upwards of $20,000 a year we print on each Sunday a Magazine Section, expressly designed to set forth the advantages of Victoria and Vancouver Island. This sum would make a very handsome dividend upon the $100,000 of the capital stock of the company, but this paper is content with a smaller profit, because it has a desire to build up the city in which it has been printed for nearly half a century. It thinks it can claim to have exhibited some degree of enterprise and some little public spirit. It challenges any person to assert and prove that its influence has ever been given to the promotion of objects for any other reward than that which comes from the honest discharge of the duties of a public newspaper.

Once more we challenge our critics and the whole army of backbiters, retailers of scandal, disseminators of insinuations and those who assert that the Colonist is actuated by motives that will not bear the light of day. We say to them: Come out into the open like men and say what you have to say where all the world can hear it. Do not stand on street corners and retail your gossip for the delectation of others, but be men and say what you have to say like men.

### DOG DAYS

Alderman Hall has exemplified the eternal fitness of things by selecting dog days as the time to legislate regarding the superabundant canine population of Victoria. Now it is an easy thing to take exception to by-laws of that nature. We took some ourselves, especially to the proposal to permit the pound-keeper to enter upon private premises in a quest for dogs. This is to be eliminated, and thus the only feature of the by-law that appeared unreasonable disappears. Some people protest against the prevention of dogs from running at large in the business centre of the city, and we have had some dogmatic utterances as to the right of every man to have his dog "at heel," if he wants to. Such an expression as "at heel" seems of itself to be convincing. A man who says he keeps his dog "at heel" apparently exhausts the subject. But all dogs do not remain "at heel." They have a disposition to stray into forbidden places, and if they get separated from their fond owners, they are apt to go careering through the street at a speed and with a reckless disregard of the rights of others, which is sometimes decidedly annoying. Moreover, as bulls are not supposed to have the freedom of china shops, so dogs ought not to be allowed the freedom of streets and stores. Some kindly disposed people object that if their dogs cannot follow them down town, the animals cannot get the exercise they require. The answer to this seems to be that if a person wants to keep a dog, it is his or her duty to see that it gets proper exercise without interfering with the comfort of other people or endangering other people's property. If one cannot do this, it would seem to be obvious that one should not keep a dog. Civilization has its disadvantages. Robinson Crusoe could make his toilet on his front lawn, but an unsympathetic police in Victoria would seriously object to such a performance on these fine summer mornings, even outside of the fire limits. Unhappily, we must shape our doings to some extent according to the likes or dislikes—prejudices, if you will—of our neighbors, and we think the average run of citizens will agree with Alderman Hall, that dogs ought not to be allowed the freedom of the city.

### WHY NOT ACT?

In the Victoria Times of Monday evening appeared the following:

The City Council probably realizes as fully as its self-constituted drivers that if the works of the Esquimalt Waterworks Company can be secured upon terms approximating their actual value, considering the unquestioned rights of the city therein, Goldstream would be the best source of future water supply for the city.

Seeing that the works of the Esquimalt Waterworks Company can be procured upon such a valuation as arbitrators may decide is their actual worth, considering everything, including the rights of the city, why does not the Water Commissioner proceed to secure them?

Why does not the Times urge him to proceed to secure them?

What is to be gained by delay?

Will the property be worth anything less in five, ten or twenty years than it is now?

Note that it is not necessary for the Water Commissioner to take over the Thetis Lake property or the power plant. He may content himself with taking the Goldstream watershed, which he ought to take so that the splendid forest there standing shall never be cut down, and such area as may be needed for a distributing or balancing reservoir. He can leave the company in possession of its power plant and permit them to have the use of the water.

The Water Commissioner is master of the situation. Why does he not act?

### THE SESSION.

The Speech from the Throne as delivered on Monday was like the session it closed, exceedingly long. Usually His Majesty's representative has to be content with uttering a few platitudes; the Deputy Governor General was given a campaign document to read. It was a clever piece of electioneering. The whole country had grown heartily sick of the session, was satisfied that it had been chiefly a useless waste of time and marked especially by the disclosure of a miscellaneous lot of scandals. It was brought to a close by the reading of a document, which tells the people of Canada that it was a really valuable session and how thoroughly in accord with public sentiment and the needs of the country the work of Parliament has been. All of which seems to demonstrate that it is a good thing to have the dealing of the cards come round to you occasionally, and that the hand of Sir Wilfrid Laurier has not lost its cunning to any great extent. The Conservative party may make up their minds that, if they are going to win at the elections, they will have to put up the liveliest kind of a campaign.

There has been considerable legislation of value placed upon the Statute Book during the long months in which Parliament was in session, and it is to be noted that with the principle of all, or nearly all, the several measures there was complete accord among the members. Differences of opinion arose on details, and sometimes the view of the Opposition members prevailed. Even on the question of the All-Red Route there was no vital difference between the parties. There is an important lesson in this fact, and it is that there is as a rule unanimity among the people of Canada upon all the great principles to which effect ought to be given, if the country is to be prosperous and the necessary development secured. The Conservatives do not oppose such well-considered measures as the Liberals propose either for the advancement of the material interests of the country or the betterment of the administration of public affairs. Certain things must be done in a great and growing country like Canada, and the only open questions in regard to them are as to the time and manner in which they should be done. These are points upon which there may reasonably be divergencies of view, but they are rarely so wide that political issues can be made out of them. This leaves the people free to deal with the administration of affairs, knowing that anything that is really needed for the development of the country will be done, no matter what party happens to be in office. Thus we saw the Liberals, when in opposition, severely criticizing the expenditures of the Conservatives to open the Dominion with railways, and we have seen them in power going far beyond anything which the most extravagant member of the Conservative party ever suggested. If they answer this by saying that the country demands more now than it did ten years ago, we need only reply that this proves just what we have been saying, and it is the only demonstration that can be asked as to the readiness of the Conservatives, when they come into power, to continue a policy of development. We are enjoying such a policy at present, not because the Liberal party has given it to us, but because the needs of the country and an irresistible public opinion demand it.

These things being so, the people of Canada may at the forthcoming elections very properly address themselves to the matters involved in the details of administration. It is not sufficient to have a progressive policy, for a progressive policy may cast undue burdens for the time being upon the people. It is not sufficient to have great undertakings entered upon for great undertakings may be so carried out as to cost the country enormously in excess of what they should. It is not sufficient to make liberal appropriations for the public service, for we have seen that such appropriations may be misspent recklessly. We will always, let us hope, have a progressive policy; we will always have great public undertakings; we must always have liberal appropriations for the public service. But we ought always to have wisdom in shaping that policy, economy in carrying out those undertakings, honesty in expending those appropriations. The great lesson of the past session is that Canada has not had this wisdom, economy and honesty; but that on the contrary policies have been ill-considered, and public expenditures have been carried on wastefully and not always with a regard to the dictates of ordinary honesty. If the Liberals shall claim that they have had a progressive policy, the Conservatives can answer with perfect truth that this policy has been unbusiness-like, wasteful and in too many instances corrupt.

This issue thus raised is a very serious one. The attention of the people of Canada ought to be concentrated upon it. Every true Canadian has a duty to himself and his country to perform under such circumstances. It is to do his share towards purifying the administration of affairs. This is an issue of supreme importance. If a stop is not put to the method in which the affairs of the country have been carried on, the end will be serious, for the credit of Canada will be destroyed and the sentiment of the people will be corrupted. Such an issue is greater than any question of policy can be, for upon the manner in which the people of Canada shall pronounce upon it depends the success of all policies.

Dredging operations are being carried on in the Yukon this season on an unprecedented scale and it is reported that there is every indication that the returns will be large. This is an excellent piece of news.

The House of Lords has passed the Old Age Pensions' Bill. There are some critics of the situation who are unkind enough to suggest that this is exactly what the Asquith government hoped the Lords would not do.

We can't all be at Quebec at the tercentenary celebration, but, as loyal Canadians, we are there in spirit, joining with our fellow-countrymen in their expressions of loyalty to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Beyond climate and scenery Victoria is becoming famous for the excellence of its educational institutions. Congratulations to the young ladies and gentlemen who have gained such high honors at the McGill matriculation examinations.

"So far as I am concerned I wish to state this: "When it comes to surrendering my rights as a free American citizen and violating the injunction of the courts, I do not hesitate to say that I shall exercise my rights as between the two."—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Such an utterance from one representing millions of the working classes is of grave significance.

We are not disposed to believe that any special significance attaches to the approaching visit to the coast of Mr. William Whyte, second vice-president of the C.P.R., and party. Developments in transportation plans are always in hand by the great Canadian corporation, and therefore it is but natural to suppose that Mr. Whyte may have an eye to other matters than his health when he visits Prince Rupert and Skagway; but the C.P.R. has a habit of not proclaiming from the house-tops what its intentions are.

Speaking of dogs and pound by-laws, did it ever occur to anyone that it would have been a business-like move to have adopted holus bolus the enactment of some city which has successfully solved the problem of regulating the canine population has on its statute books—Toronto for instance. It strikes us as savoring of the superfluous for the city council of Victoria to puzzle its brains about a piece of legislation which can be obtained in draft form for a two-cent stamp. However, we trust that the new by-law when passed will be found to work well.

The long lists of hotel arrivals which we are publishing each day show that there are an immense number of visitors in the city at present. In this connection it ought not to be forgotten that the percentage of transient visitors who register at hotels is small, and therefore there is little doubt that the aggregate tourist travel this season will break all records. Supporting this belief is the fact that lists of registrations at the museum and the rooms of the Tourist association are very large. Then, again, all vehicles plying for hire to sightseers are busy; the storekeepers report trade excellent, and seldom have the streets been so thronged. In short, the prosperity of the community is patent to all.


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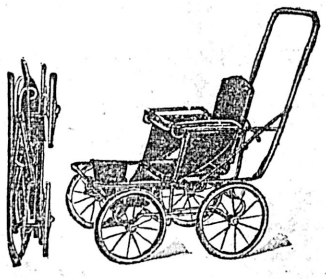

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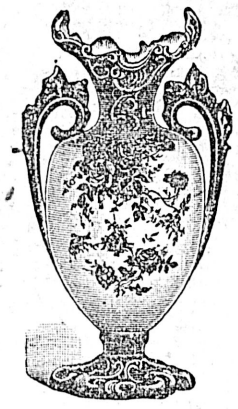

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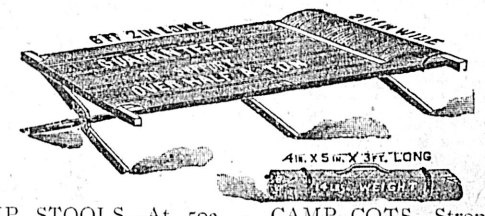

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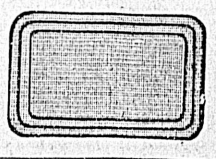

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## NOTE AND COMMENT

The Ottawa Free Press is popularly regarded as the organ of the Dominion government. For that reason more than ordinary importance attaches to the following, which appears in its editorial columns of a recent issue:

It begins to look as if the Pacific section of the All-Red line was pretty well arranged for. If that be so, it ought not to take long to get the Atlantic section in working order.

A few years ago the press of the world was writing obituary notices about the horse, but it appears that "man's faithful friend" is fast returning to favor, despite his enemy, the automobile. The Toronto Globe remarks:

A sudden demand for carriage horses in Britain has caused a material advance in prices. Inquiries show that the purchasers are largely men who have grown tired of their automobiles. The innovation has had a great popularity, but the horse is returning to favor.

We find the following in the Ottawa Citizen. It re-echoes a sentiment very often expressed by the Colonist, but it is worth reproducing just now:

The long-continued prevalence of dry weather, accompanied by high winds, has created conditions which might turn a small fire into a great conflagration. The citizens of Ottawa should be particularly careful to guard against fire in every possible way. One way of doing this is to prevent the accumulation of paper and other inflammable rubbish in back yards or in the vicinity of buildings. Such heaps of rubbish are among the most common causes of fires. Especially when high winds are prevailing extra vigilance should be maintained to guard against incipient fires and to ensure the sending in of prompt alarms.

Rumor is busy with the intention of the North German Lloyd and the Hamburg-American steamship companies to build a steamship to recover the speed supremacy of the Atlantic. A special cable from Hamburg, dated July 14, says:

It was stated recently that the Hamburg-American Company had successfully appealed to the government for a loan at a low rate of interest to assist the project. Herr Ballin, director of the company, denies this, but the reports of the company's intention to build a ship to eclipse the performances of the Mauretania and Lusitania persist, and it is declared that experiments are going on and plans maturing for a vessel larger, faster and more profitable than the Mauretania with combined piston and turbine engines.

Threatened men live long, so it has been said, but very few people would like to insure the Czar's life except at a tremendous premium. In this connection we quote the following special cable:

Berlin, July 14.—A despatch from Sosnowice, Poland, states that more than a hundred men and women have been arrested for complicity in a plot to kill the Czar. Other arrests are impending. It is stated that the conspiracy is widespread in Poland. Sosnowice is now flooded with troops.

"Liquefied helium" is the very latest—it being reported that a Dutch professor's experiments have proved absolutely successful:

London, July 15.—The Telegraph prints a despatch from The Hague which says that Prof. Ohnes, of the University of Leyden, who lately retracted his provisional statement that he had succeeded in liquefying helium, has now absolutely succeeded. He obtained, on July 10, fifty cubic centimetres of liquid helium, which remained in that state for fifty minutes. The boiling point of the liquid was 268 degrees centigrade below zero.

A recent statement made by the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, ex-premier of New South Wales, will be very comforting to friends of the woman suffrage movement. A summary of his remarks reads:

In his view, judging from the result of the elections, in which they have participated, women are more conservative than men. But he does not use the term "conservative" in its political annotation, but relatively to the situation in New South Wales, where, he says, the opposing parties are Liberals and Labor Socialists. Many of the women voters closely in touch with the Labor-Socialists supported the Liberal party on account of the liquor law and other social reforms. While he notes that as a general rule the women voted very largely as the men did, he says there is a tendency for the woman to view questions from rather a wider outlook. She has the problem of the home and its economy to face and consequently she is more inclined to vote for principles which are embodied in measures of social reform than the men, who are often carried away by mere faction cries. Taken all over, Mr. Carruthers thinks there is less opposition to women suffrage now in Australia than ever before, and that the reality has not been so dreadful as the anticipation.

The Montreal Gazette is of the opinion that it is "time to get rid of the wastrels." That this is a suggestion not entirely absurd will be made clear from reading the Gazette's summing up of past and present expenditures:

The Laurier government spent $108,000,000 last year and are asking leave to spend $129,000,000 this year. Before they came into power governments got along by spending about $40,000,000 a year, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier complained that it was too much. Now he spends well on to three times forty millions a year, and no one can see where he has improved things. It is time to get rid of the wastrels.

Some interesting gifts have just been made to the Coventry, Warwick, Corporation by the local Master Bakers' Association. They consist of the banner or streamer belonging to the "Fellowshippe of the Bakers of the City of Coventry," the sword and mace, the cap of the master baker as worn on ceremonial occasions, a minute book dating back to the seventeenth century, and other relics. There is a record of the expenses at the annual meeting of the guild held on the feast of St. Simon and St. Jude, showing an amount disbursed on "two quarts of sack for the Lady Mayoress." In after yers there was added another quart of claret.

## FORTY YEARS AGO

The British Colonist, Wednesday, July 22, 1868.

His Excellency Gov. Seymour and officers extended a number of invitations to a number of the principal residents to a ball, which was given last evening at Government House in honor of Admiral Thatcher and officers of the United States navy now in port.

Base Ball.—A match will be played on Friday next at half-past three in the afternoon at Beacon Hill between the following teams: Victoria nine—J. Barnett, H. Richardson, J. T. Howard, T. H. Tye, T. Ball, J. Wilson, J. Davies, P. McQuade, W. Moses. U. S. S. Pensacola nine—G. M. Hunter, A. Craven, H. Perkins, E. B. Coolidge, A. V. Fraser, W. S. Cowles, S. Howard, A. Phillips, F. Van Brant.

An influential meeting of the subscribers to the Agricultural and Horticultural Society was held yesterday afternoon at Smith's Hall on Government Street, Dr. Tolmie in the chair. Directors were chosen and other business transacted. Mr. Burnaby was chosen secretary, and the secretary to the former society, Mr. Bales, was re-elected. Gentlemen from the various settlements, including the Mainland, have attached themselves to the object, thereby making it the intention to have a large and interesting exhibition at the forthcoming meeting in October, besides which, it is a matter at the present time, when our agricultural interests are progressing so satisfactorily, to foster it and pay it the attention which its importance dictates. Already upwards of eighty names are on the subscription lists.

## ABOUT PEOPLE

President Castro of Venezuela, who has once more come into conflict with the United States Government, is one of the most remarkable personalities in contemporary history. He has been called the Napoleon of South America and, indeed, he has much in his nature that reminds one of "the little corporal." His self-assurance is sublime, and he has the greatest contempt for all the powers of Europe. Venezuela is, to him, the only country worth considering in the world, and he has recently expressed the opinion that it will be unconquerable as long as he lives. During the Russo-Japanese war, he was discussing the merits of the opposing armies with a friend. The latter was enthusiastic in his praise of the soldiers of the Mikado. "Bah!" exclaimed Castro, "Think of the thousands of men they had and the months they were at it. Why, I could have taken Port Arthur in three days with five hundred Venezuelans!" The President's mode of life is as remarkable as his self-assurance. Sometimes he will disappear from his capital for days together, and no one will have the least idea of his whereabouts until he turns up again smiling as if nothing had happened. His hospitality is unbounded, and he often invites casual passers-by to his house and treats them to impromptu balls and parties. Dancing is his favorite pastime, and it is related that an American official once called upon him with some important documents, and found him in the middle of the day surrounded by numerous guests and dancing enthusiastically. "When will the President have finished his dance?" asked the official sarcastically, of one of Castro's ministers. The latter threw up his hands in despair. "Don't ask me," he replied, "the president has been at every day for the last five days." President Castro lives in what is probably the most remarkable dwelling place of any modern ruler. It stands within a park at Caracas and is built almost entirely of steel. The outer walls are covered with a kind of soft stone, so, to look at, there is nothing peculiar about the place; but it is said to be the strongest house in the world, and it will resist the heaviest gun fire. The idea of a steel "palace" occurred to the president after he had had experience of one or two earthquakes. One night he was awakened by an earth tremor, and in his fright he jumped out of the window and broke his leg. After that, he decided that bricks and mortar were not safe, hence the reason for his metal abode.—M.A.P.

Sir Hubert Von Herkomer's generous offer to paint a full length portrait of Cambridge's new Chancellor, Lord Rayleigh, and present it to the University, is characteristic of the famous artist's nature. There are few more genial men in the world of art today than the gifted painter of "The Last Muster," and many a struggling Bohemian can testify to his kindness. Sir Hubert has never forgotten his own early days when funds were short and his genius had not been recognized. At one time his prospects were so uncertain that it is said he contemplated joining a troup of minstrels, when, fortunately for art, he obtained an introduction to the manager of The Graphic, from which time his progress was rapid. Had he not won fame as an artist, there are many other walks in life in which Professor von Herkomer might have been successful. It is not generally known that he is a clever actor, and at his home at Bushey he has a little theatre fitted up where he produces plays, some of which are written by himself. He is also a first-rate musician and has composed many pieces. As a motorist, too, he has few amateur equals, and some time ago he promoted successful motor trials on the Continent in which Prince Henry of Prussia once took part. Sir Hubert is the most versitile artist of the day, for he can not only paint equally well in oils, water-colors, and enamels, but he can carve in wood, work designs in iron, and produce the most exquisite etchings.

Mr. Asquith is not the first eminent statesman to have his windows broken. A similar experience was, says the Daily Chronicle, Mr. Gladstone's when feeling ran high over the Eastern question. Curiously enough, too, on that occasion the window-smashing was a sequel to a Hyde Park demonstration. A meeting in opposition to the Eastern policy of Lord Beaconsfield's Government was broken up in Hyde Park by a huge gathering of "Jingoes," some of whom afterward smashed Mr. Gladstone's windows in Harley street. The term "Jingoes" then came into being, for the streets were ringing with "By Jingo! if we do!"

The woman members of the Finnish parliament have introduced a bill raising the marringeable age for girls from 15 to 18. The man members of the parliament are not all in favor of it and it is said that the women are expecting to have a hard fight, though they express their determination to see that it becomes a law.

## BRITISH OPINION

The Daily Telegraph says:—For the German contention that the enforcement of the Patent Act should be still further postponed beyond the period of grace allowed in Parliament there is no jurisdicion either in logic or policy. The plea is intelligible as advanced by foreign interests imperfectly acquainted with English ways and finding themselves sharply hit by a strong measure of national statesmanship unexpectedly passed by a Government pledged to the abstract principle of free trade. The complaints of people who have hitherto made the best of both worlds with every privilege in their own country and complete equality in ours will be listened to with courtesy if they are officially brought to the notice of the nation. But the idea of deferring the operation of the act is one that cannot be entertained for a moment. To the German producers who have possessed a monopoly of sale in our own market for patented aricles manufactured abroad the situation created by the supple and audacious good sense of Mr. Lloyd-George is, of course, sufficiently serious. The Chancellor of the Exchequer manipulated the measure into law with a skill that has been much and deservedly praised, but with respect to the principle of the Patents Act he has received too much credit. To Unionists and tariff reformers, and to them alone, belongs the credit of taking up this question originally, explaining it thoroughly, enlightening public opinion with regard to it, and convincing members of a government full of initial prejudice against it.

To many observers of India (says the Morning Post) it seems that the right of appeal has in that country been far too freely allowed. The existence of British rule in India depends upon the character of the British officials. It is upon their integrity and intelligence that the whole fabric rests and if a local magistrate cannot be trusted by the government to give a final decision in any local criminal case, not involving capital punishment, or in any dispute about interests worth less than some thousands of pounds, the local officials will never be looked upon by the local people with the necessary faith. If they are to exercise moral authority they should be given real authority. India hardly gets enough continuous attention in this country. It is not good for India that every now and then in a crisis its affairs should be the subject of a parliamentary debate. Such spasmodic treatment is better than indifference, but it is unsatisfactory. There ought to be a state organisation for the study of Indian policy. The India Office and the India Council no doubt perform some of the functions of such an institution. But the one is absorbed in administrative or quasi-administrative work and the other is a sort of small parliament. The truth is that the English government of India is an experiment of unprecedented boldness.

The Standard parliamentary correspondent says:—Captain Craig has given notice that he will ask the Prime Minister tomorrow whether the government intend to submit the Irish Universities bill to a national convention in Ireland, as was done in the case of the Irish Councils bill, and, if so, for what date will the convention be summoned. Captain Craig will also ask the Foreign Secretary whether the government have taken steps, directly or indirectly, to ascertain the views of the Vatican or those entitled to speak for it in this country respecting the Irish Universities bill, and if their approval has been secured for the measure.

The Daily News says:—Have women as old-fashioned people so often say, no business to concern themselves with the work of town and country councils? Two paragraphs in today's paper rather suggest that the precise opposite is true, and that intelligent women ought to feel it a duty to understand what their local authorities are about. One paragraph describes the horrible condition of a certain churn containing milk, on which floated, as the report grandiloquently states, an "extraordinary quantity of extraneous matter." Now, everyone admits that within the household it is woman's supreme duty to fight against this "extraneous matter," or, in simple English, dirt. But it is of no avail to struggle for cleanliness at home if outside food is liable to be contaminated and adulterated. Another paragraph describes the steps which are being taken by the Middlesex County Council to secure a pure food supply. They are offering to undertake the analysis of all suspected milk and Demerara sugar free of charge. Probably this careful supervision should be extended to other articles of food. But if it is to be properly carried out, the co-operation of the housewife will be essential. She should realise that in the district the local authority is carrying on the same everlasting warfare against uncleanliness that is so painfully familiar to her home.

The Daily Mail says:—The report of the Royal Commission upon the duties of the Metropolitan Police is a remarkable testimony to the character and conduct of the London police. After a prolonged and careful investigation, after hearing all the who had charges to bring, and investigating ninety-nine distinct complaints, the Commissioners have come to the conclusion that the police do their work well, that the "discipline of the force is well maintained," that "the general arrangements for the maintenance of order and the prevention of offences in the streets . . . are excellent," and that the force "is entitled to the confidence of all classes of the community." The men who are entrusted with the duty of protecting life and property in London and with a thousand other minor tasks are vindicated from most of the attacks which have been made upon them. From the standpiont of the citizen this is most satisfactory. There is an old proverb, "Quis custodiet ipsos custodes?" (Who shall guard the guardians?), and if the guardians of London had been proved venal, violent and arbitrary in making arrests a great blow would have been dealt to the sense of personal security. The power of the police is such that the liberty of every subject would be at the mercy of a corrupt and incapable force. The cases which the Commission have examined are those in which, if there was real reason for suspicion, police untrustworthiness must have been manifested, covering as they do these instances that improper arrests would be most likely to escape detection, and the crime of blackmail to be perpetrated with impunity. The impression left by the report is that the 17,000 men charged with the work of maintaining order in a population of nearly seven millions do their work faithfully and well. If there are some black sheep among them this must be expected in any large mass of men. But recommendations made for giving the public easier access to headquarters in case of complaints against the force should if carried out, remove all ground for uneasiness, especially as the Commission notes that all police proceedings are watched by a vigilant press.

It is a pity, says the Daily Express, that the women who organized last night's "raids" on the House of Commons did not listen to reason by abandoning their mad enterprise. Their action only serves to alienate the sympathies of their well-wishers, and does not in the least advance the cause for which they are willing to undergo imprisonment. The scenes at Westminster during the evening were such as to give thinking people cause to regret that such a thing as "votes for women" was ever suggested. This "agitation" has now degenerated into sheer rowdyism, and is surely defeating its own ends.

Lord Morley's statement upon Indian affairs yesterday was anticipated, says the Daily Chronicle, with a double interest, which the event has fully sustained. It was to be his maiden speech in the House of Lords, and the occasion was to be a duel between himself and Lord Curzon. Lord Morley's speech was admirable, and he certainly did not come off second best in the duel. Lord Curzon, deprecating party warfare in India, yet made, as Lord Morley said, a series of criticisms indistinguishable from an ordinary party attack. There were no positive suggestions in Lord Curzon's speech, and the interest of the debate thus centres in the Secretary of State's declaration of policy. In passing, however, we may notice an excellent saying of Lord Morley's. Lord Curzon, referring to some unwise utterances "in another place" and elsewhere, seemed to draw from them the large conclusion that democracy was incompatible with the wise government of India. "Does he suppose," was Lord Morley's retort, "that democracy can be without its simpletons?" However that may be, democracy can throw up wise men into the seats of the mighty. It was an unedifying feature of last night's debate that Lord Curzon and Lord Midleton resumed their quarrels. It is a great advantage to the empire in the present crisis in India that between the Viceroy and the Secretary of State there is complete understanding and confidence. They are united in the policy of repressing disorder and persevering with reform.


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The agreement existing between the Stevedores' and Riggers' union and the Puget Sound Shipping association, under which practically all the cargoes worked in Seattle harbor have been handled, was yesterday cancelled and a state of war now exists between the laborers and the shipping companies on Puget Sound. While not a strike, strike conditions exist. The affair has arisen over the failure of the association to recognize the union in Tacoma under the agreement, and is the culmination of several months' negotiations. The agreement with the local union was made on January 21, last, to extend over a year, and the Tacoma union was organized a week or ten days later. The shipping association refused to admit the Tacoma organization on the ground that it had no existence, when the agreement was signed. There was no dispute as to wages or hours, only the recognition of the union.

A Berlin despatch says Prince Christian Hohenlohe Oerhingen, who has a large interest in the Deutsche Levant Steamship company of Hamburg, is preparing, according to the Kleine Journal, to found a system of great shipping lines in opposition to the Hamburg-American line. Prince Egon Fuerstenburg, the emperor's most intimate friend, has agreed, the Journal affirms, to become a heavy shareholder in the new enterprise.

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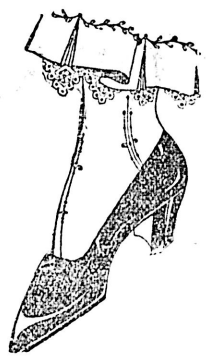

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# VISITOR ASTOUNDED AT PROGRESS OF WEST

## Ohioan Judge on a Mission to Victoria—Large Party With Him

Judge E. Fisher, of Eaton, in the presidential state of Ohio, is here with a couple of other gentlemen from Chicago, whose mission it is to enquire into certain legal matters of mutual interest and amongst other things look into the question of emigration. He represents in certain particulars the secretary of state of Ohio, and in other matters the bar association of Eaton. The bar association of the whole state numbers some six hundred members.

The party includes three citizens of Chicago, Mr. A. B. Miller, a representative of the Post; Mr. Peebles, a manufacturer on a very large scale of dies which are used in letterheads, etc.; and Mr. Christiancy, who is heavily interested in the lumber industry. While Mr. D. W. Eddings, of Dayton, Ohio, who represents the Bar Association of the state, is examining law reports and other legal differences and conditions which interest his profession. Mr. Eddings will probably reach town today.

Judge Fisher brought with him a letter of introduction to Mr. J. B. McKilligan, the Provincial surveyor of taxes, and had quite a pleasant and lengthy interview with that gentlema yesterday. Judge Fisher states that the Ohio Bar association and the International association, which will meet in Toronto sometime in September next, have had for sometime under consideration certain questions affecting taxation, such as its simplification, wherever this can be effected, and the elimination of double taxation upon the same property wherever this can possibly be accomplished, although at times this is admittedly difficult. Also questions affecting direct and indirect taxation, and whether taxation should be levied wholly upon corporate interests or wholly upon landed interests as well as the best methods for taxing investments in bonds and in stocks. The state tax commission has already carefully considered and reported upon some of these subjects, and at the next session of the Ohio legislature, which opens early in January next, a bill will be introduced making some changes in the present system of procedure.

### Working of the Measure

For instance, if a property is purchased upon which one-third is paid down and two-thirds of the purchase money is left upon mortgage, the purchaser is now taxed upon the entire value of the property, while the holder of the mortgage is also taxed upon his interest in it. And it is proposed to so change the system that the purchaser in such a case, who has in reality only acquired a one-third interest in it, shall only be taxed upon his equity, while the holder of the mortgage shall bear the balance of the taxation.

It is further intended to raise what will be called a state tax to assist in defraying the expenses of state administration, by imposing an assessment of one-tenth of one per cent upon the paid-up capital in all public franchises, such as insurance, telephone, telegraph and railway companies, as well as upon all industrial corporations; and this proposition will be included in this bill.

The taxation of property which is owned by religious bodies has also been under active consideration, but it has not as yet been decided how far any change in this direction shall be carried. Such buildings as are directly used for religious purposes are not to be taxed; but it is likely that a change will be made which will bring all outside property within the reach of the tax-gatherer.

Then the question of the emigration of many thousands of Americans into various parts of the Dominion, and particularly into the northwestern provinces, has attained such very extensive and almost constantly increasing proportions that it is receiving particular attention at the hands of the American authorities and these gentlemen are collecting all the information upon this matter that they can possibly gather.

"Why, you are getting a very large number of the very best of our farmers," exclaimed Judge Fisher in conversation at the Empress yesterday, "They are coming in from the states of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska and the two Dakotas, and even from my own state, and from the very centre of it too. They can sell their properties in Ohio for sums varying from $90 to $120 per acre and can buy rich lands in that great northwestern country for $8 to $10 per acre, and in a very short time they become very well fixed, indeed.

"I paid a visit to the northwest and the province of British Columbia eight years ago, and I travelled northwards as far as the Lesser Slave Lake, and we found it to be a surprisingly good section too. I was also at the time at Kelowna, and in the Okanagan valley, and I formed an exceedingly high opinion of it. Indeed, I was almost tempted to make an investment in that splendid section of territory myself. And while we are getting an immense number of very undesirable people from Southern Europe you are now getting the English-speaking immigrants who have almost ceased to land upon our shores, nor are we securing the Germans and the northland Europeans, who in former times were accustomed to throng the vessels which were bound to our ports. And you are also getting only a small proportion of the undesirable element,

### The Change Wonderful.

"But the change, which I have found has taken place during the past eight years has been simply amazing, and I could hardly have believed it had I not seen it. Places like Davis, Medicine Hat and Moose Jaw and Prince Albert, Calgary and Winnipeg, which were rather small, if not comparatively insignificant places eight years ago, are now quite large and important towns. And all through the country I see the same evidence of marvelous changes in the way of development and improvement. I was never so surprised in my life.

"All these things interest us very much, and as we wish to keep track of the values of this immigration, of its ebb and flow or increase, and to learn where they have settled, I am promised returns from such points as Winnipeg, Regina and Portal. The general growth of the whole country is simply marvelous.

"And then, what a splendid hotel you have here, and I may say I have undertaken to supply a friend of mine in Cincinnati—Mr. Thomson—with information under this head, as it is of importance from the tourist traffic point of view. I was looking at the map today, and I see that in addition to the territories, which are already being developed, and in so astonishing a manner, you have extensive and fertile regions, a good deal farther north, along the Athabasca and McKenzie rivers, which will yet support and enrich a very numerous, thrifty and valuable population. Indeed, the possibilities of Canada are simply enormous.

"In conversing on our side of the line about the political future of Canada, whenever my friends held that annexation to the United States was the inevitable outcome, I have always told them that from my knowledge of the people this could never occur; that I never heard the question so much as discussed here, and that if a change ever took place it could only be in the direction of complete independence. And it is really surprising how many American capitalists are investing in this country. Only last year, Mr. Berg, who holds a valuable patent for pressing brick in the dry state, prior to burning, sold out his large interests in Chicago and in Anderson, Indiana, and has moved to Toronto. While at Medicine Hat, where natural gas is in use, fully $200,000 has been somewhat recently invested in a brick-making plant, and it is claimed that from this clay deposit on the banks of the Saskatchewan excellent bricks, which readily sells at $11 per thousand, can be manufactured at from $1.97 to $2.33 per thousand. And these are only instances The crops in the northwest are looking very well indeed, while around Moose Jaw it was rather dry, as we came west the indications of a heavy crop were most encouraging. And the great irrigation canal, which has been dug by the C.P.R. Co. eastward of Calgary, drawing the water used from the Bow river, is doing wonderfully good work. I was informed that it was already irrigating a section fifty miles in length."

"The Mormon settlement near Lethbridge is doing very well. They are raising sugar beets in great quantities, and have two refineries. It is a curious thing that these people will only settle upon lands which require irrigation.

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## OBITUARY NOTICES

### Mugridge.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Von Schultz Mugridge took place on Sunday afternoon from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Geo. E. Munro, Lampson Street, at 2 p.m., and proceeded to the Reformed Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock, where service was conducted by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone. There was a large attendance of friends at the church, many beautiful floral tributes being presented. The following acted as pallbearers: W. G. Cameron, H. D. Helmcken, K.C., J. Patterson, T. B. Macabe, A Calderwood, J R. McKenzie.

## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., July 21, 1908:

SYNOPSIS.

Fine summer weather has been very general both on the North Pacific slope and throughout the Prairie provinces; it has been intensely hot in the Kootenays and the inter-mountain regions of the Pacific states, the temperature reaching 101 at Kamloops and 104 at Walla Walla, Ore., and Red Bluff, Cal. A thunderstorm with rainfall occurred at Baker City.

TEMPERATURE.

| | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria, B. C. | 54 | 81 |
| Vancouver | 55 | 84 |
| New Westminster | 56 | 85 |
| Kamloops | 62 | 101 |
| Barkerville | 50 | 78 |
| Atlin | 35 | 62 |
| Dawson, Y. T. | 43 | 74 |
| Calgary, Alta. | 52 | 84 |
| Winnipeg, Man. | 48 | 98 |
| Portland, Ore. | 62 | 86 |
| San Francisco, Cal. | 52 | 60 |

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Light or moderate winds, continued fine and warm today and Thursday.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, continued fine and warm today and Thursday.

TUESDAY.

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| Highest | 81 |
| Lowest | 54 |
| Mean | 67 |

Sunshine, 13 hours, 24 minutes.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B.C., July, 1908.

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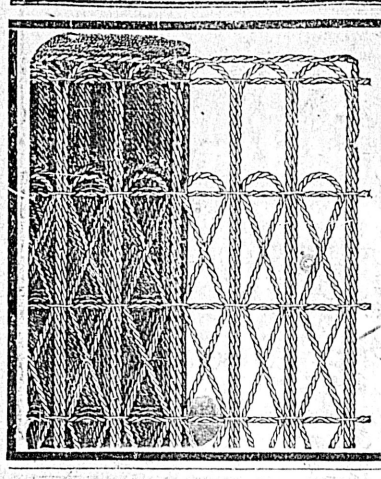

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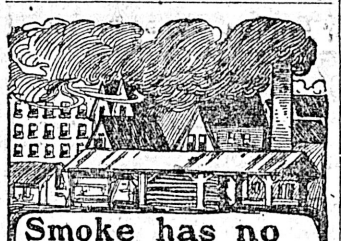

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# WORKMAN IS KILLED BY PREMATURE BLAST

## Italian Powder Man Horribly Mangled at Smith's Hill Reservoir Yesterday

By the premature explosion of a stick of dynamite which he had just placed in the hole preparatory to "springing" it Giovanni Conello, an Italian employed as powder man at the work now in progress at the Smith's Hill reservoir, was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon at 1.45 o'clock. The force of the blast horribly mangled the man. His face was literally blown off, both eyes blown out, a portion of the right arm cut off and the fingers of the left hand blown out at the sockets while other injuries were received in the breast and body. The man lingered but a few minutes before succumbing to his injuries.

Just how the accident occurred will probably never be known, but it is supposed that Conello, who was known to be very careless with dynamite, had used a shortened fuse in order to expedite his work and that before he could place the explosive and retire to a safe distance the fuse communicated with the dynamite and explosion followed just as the man's head was over the hole.

It is customary, in work of the character of that being performed by the Italian, after a hole has been drilled in the rock by the steam drill to put in a comparatively light charge of dynamite for the purpose of "springing the hole," that is to so enlarge the hole that a large charge can be inserted and the desired quantity of rock removed. It was at this preliminary work that Conello was employed. His fellow workmen had withdrawn but a short distance as no danger is looked for from this first blast, no rock being disturbed. Whether the man had succeeded in placing the dynamite in the hole or whether the fuse ignited the explosive before it was deposited in position is not clear. The workmen were paying no particular attention to the operation and the first thing they realized was when the explosion took place and the Italian hurled three or four feet into the air and fell back to the ground senseless and mutilated. A rush was made for the spot, the injured man picked up and carried to a shady spot while Thomas Donovan, superintendent of the reservoir construction work, was notified. The police were summoned and Dr. Robertson notified. No time was lost by them in getting to the scene of the accident, but long before they had reached Smith's Hill the Italian had succumbed.

Conello, while an experienced powder man and accustomed for years to handle explosives, was, it is claimed by some of his fellow workmen, far too careless. In fact the workmen objected to the careless manner in which he would throw about sticks of dynamite. On one occasion while taking some sticks of the explosive from the box where they were laid, he took more than he required. Without any hesitation he tossed two of them back into the box without taking the trouble to go nearer the box than a foot or two. Men of his employment often attempt to expedite their work by using a shorter fuse than that supplied, and on one occasion he is said to have whittled a stick of dynamite which was larger than he needed. This is the first accident to have occurred since work on the reservoir site was started some time ago.

The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of W. J. Hanna, where it lies until an inquest has been held by Coroner Hart.

The deceased, who was a single man of about 29 years of age, has resided in the city for some time. Latterly, he has been living on Spring street.

# AEROPLANE WILL BE ENGAGED FOR FAIR

## Another Attraction Booked By Agricultural Association Executive

An aeroplane will be engaged as a special attraction in connection with the Victoria fall fair, which will be held from the 22nd to the 26th of September. This was decided at a recent meeting of the executive of the agricultural association. It is proposed that the flying machine will make ascensions every afternoon at specified times, it being the opinion of those in charge that, as the mastery of flight is now engaging the attention of scientists throughout the world, such an exhibition would be generally appreciated and, of course, afford an excellent drawing card. Naturally the desire of those responsible is that there shall be heavy gate receipts and, moreover, that those attending may be satisfied with the programme prepared for their entertainment.

Another matter which has been receiving some consideration is the disposal of the side shows, of which it is expected there will be more this year than heretofore. These will be placed in rows opposite each other on the grounds immediately to the left of the new entrance gate, thus forming a midway of the type common to the expositions of large centres throughout America. The marquees occupied by these attractions, it is expected, will cover 750 feet of space, one show alone taking up 300 feet. These figures, Secretary Smart remarked yesterday, would give some idea of the increased number of these performances in comparison with previous shows. Also he promises that they will be of a higher class, in fact he is of the opinion that "a trip down the pike" to those taking in the forthcoming Victoria exhibition will mean just as much as the same term did when applied to the recent Louis and Clark exposition which took place at Portland, Ore.

A feature of the show of which little has been said is the musical programme being arranged. It is the intention of the management to engage the local bands and practically all the notable musical organizations from adjacent points. The proposal is that there shall be a different band for every day of the fair, giving the public a variety which is always pleasing, and of which general appreciation is anticipated.

A report has been set in circulation on the mainland to the effect that, owing to the destruction of the old exhibition buildings, it had been decided to hold no fair this year on Vancouver Island. Secretary Smart wants this emphatically denied. He points out that anyone who has visited the grounds of late and noted the progress being made on the new structures would not credit such a story. Everything, he says, will be ready long before the opening day.

**To Advertise Widely.**

Mr. Smart announces that steps have been taken to thoroughly advertise the exhibition. Contracts have been closed for space on the cars of Vancouver, New Westminster, Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham and Everett. The services of the press at all these and other points have been enlisted and, in short, no effort will be spared to spread broadcast the information that Victoria's fair take place on the dates mentioned, that its prize list is but little short of that offered in connection with the Dominion fair, Calgary, and that, in a word, the prospects are that it will be "the best ever."

One of the features of the preparations in progress for giving publicity to the event is the poster designed by the Colonist artist and to be printed in seven colors by the Colonist presses. Although the undertaking has not yet been completed it has every appearance of turning out a work of art. As it stands it excels in effective simplicity and general beauty those issued by the managements of the Dominion, the Spokane and other exhibitions held in the northwest.

# KILLED HIS BROTHER THEN TOOK OWN LIFE

## Alberni Indian Official Believes That is Solution of Watters Mystery

That Harvey Watters murdered his brother Horace and then committed suicide while under the influence of drink or more probably while suffering from delirium tremens is the opinion of A. W. Neill, Indian agent for the west coast of the island, who arrived in the city on Monday evening and registered at the Dominion hotel.

The mystery surrounding the death of Horace Watters whose dead body was discovered on May 24 last at Tsow-in, near Nootka, in a badly decomposed condition, and the disappearance of the other brother, has never been satisfactorily explained. In fact, there has been absolutely no explanation of how the tragedy occurred and even the evidence taken at the inquest on the body of Horace Watters brought few details other than that the two brothers landed from the steamer Tees at Tsow-in on March 23 last, that they had been drinking heavily on the journey up and both were under the influence of liquor when they landed. Two months later Horace Watters' body was found in the bush and near the shore the hat of the other brother but up to date no trace of Harvey Watters' body has been found.

Mr. Neill's jurisdiction extends beyond Nootka Sound and it was in this district that the Watters brothers met their fate. Asked as to his opinion of the tragedy Mr. Neill stated that he believed that after murdering his brother Harvey Watters took his own life presumably by drowning as despite the three searches made by the provincial police officers in that section no trace of the missing man has been found.

Mr. Neill went up the west coast at the time the body of Horace Watters was found and was the magistrate before whom the evidence of the white men and Indians, who last saw the two brothers, was taken. He also had the opportunity of making other inquiries and he is firmly convinced that while there are many points which still require explanation the above theory is the one most consistent with all the known facts.

**Not the Indians.**

That the brothers came to their end through the agency of the Indians Mr. Neill does not believe. He repudiates such a theory and deprecates the readiness with which some people hasten to put blame upon the Indians for such incidents without pausing to enquire into the circumstances of the particular case. The enquiry into the case shows that there were only three Indian men in the vicinity of Tsow-in at the time the white men camped. One of these was quite an old man, another was a cripple and it is hardly likely that the third Indian would attack two white men without some very strong provocation which was not shown and even in that case it is practically impossible that he would have succeeded against two well armed men. In fact, there was not the slightest piece of evidence which would be listened to for a moment in a court of law adduced to throw suspicion on any one of the Indians.

From his knowledge of the locality and the length of time which elapsed after the disappearance of the two white men before it was possible to make a search Mr. Neill is of the opinion that every possible effort was made by the police authorities to unravel the mystery and neither trouble nor expense has been spared to clear up the matter which has been elucidated as far as the conditions will render possible.

Mr. Neill, whose headquarters are at Alberni, reports business generally as being quiet along the west coast but the attention of the outside world is being directed more and more to the undoubted great mineral and timber resources of that portion of the island and with the advent of the railway Alberni will enter upon a new era of prosperity.

**Thieves Take Fish.**

For the past week or two fish companies with wharves along the inner harbor have suffered considerable loss through the continued thefts of a large amount of fish. The thieves enter the store houses during the night and make away with large quantities of the picine contents. The matter has been reported to the police.


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# CLAIM THEY ARE NOT BEING FAIRLY TREATED

## Local Firms Fell That City is Putting The mat a Disadvantage

The manner in which the city called for tenders for the new high level steel, or steel and concrete tank which will be erected on the site recently purchased from Albert Toller on St. Charles street, has occasioned considerable dissatisfaction among the several local firms by whom work of this character can be done and to whom, it is claimed, every inducement should have been given so that the work of supplying and erecting the tank could have been kept in the city. While the tenders for the tank have not yet been awarded and some local firms have submitted tenders, the prices, as published, show, it is stated, that the outside firms are much lower in their tenders and it is supposed that they will be given the contract.

No particular objection is taken to the contract for the North Dairy Farm pumping plant going to an outside firm because such a plant even if awarded to a local firm would have to be supplied from outside manufacturers as local firms are not in a position to manufacture the engines and pumps, but in the matter of the tank they claim that owing to the indefiniteness of the specifications the home firms were practically precluded from tendering except at such a figure as would make it practically certain that they could not make a low enough bid.

It is pointed out that when the tenders were called for and the specifications submitted, a great many details were wanting, which, if the tank were supplied by the local firm, would first require that expert opinion would have to be obtained at considerable cost while in the great majority of cases foreign firms, being accustomed to manufacture such tanks and having experts in their employ, are thus placed at a decided advantage over the home manufacturers. For instance it is stated when the tenders for the high level tank were called for and the specifications shown there was nothing said about the amount of wind strain required, nothing about the hundred and one details which enter into the work independent of the actual building of the tank and all of which, it is claimed, should have been set forth so that the home manufacturers would know just what was expected and thus be in the position to intelligently tender. In fact, by reason of the absence of these necessary details many of the local firms refused to tender. On the other hand the outside firms, apparently are accustomed to supplying tanks of the variety wanted here and the absence of the data asked for by the firms here, does not mean any disadvantage to these outsiders.

Discussing the matter yesterday, a member of a local firm stated that as far as he could see the Victoria firms capable of supplying such a tank have not been fairly treated and the city apparently made no effort to make it as easy as possible for the firms to tender but instead handicapped them at the outset by failing to supply every necessary detail, as otherwise a local firm might tender only to find later that it would be impossible to fulfill the contract at anything like the price quoted.

Not only in this particular instance but in the case of other city works the local firms feel that they are being placed at a disadvantage to outside competitors, a circumstance which, when the fact that the plants here are helping in building up the city and are paying thousands in wages, is considered not only most unfair but wholly uncalled for.

# CHINAMAN ACQUITTED OF TRYING TO STAB

## Proof Lacking of a Knife Being Used—Magistrate Jay is Still Unwell

Charlie Yen, a Chinese cook formerly employed at the Commercial hotel, was yesterday acquitted of the charge of having assaulted Michael O'Brien with intent to stab him. Magistrate Jay being still absent on account of illness court was held by Justices of the Peace W. W. Northcott and R. B. McMicking. The complainant testified that Yen took him by the shoulders asking him "to gin him up," and upon his refusal tried to stab him with a pocket knife.

The evidence of Leonard Lucas, son of the proprietor of the Commercial hotel where O'Brien is employed as bartender, shed rather a different light on the matter. He said that the Chinaman came round to visit and had asked to be given a lemonade, which was his usual drink, being Sunday the bar was not open so the request was refused. Afterwards the two joined in a little horse play which ended in the Chinaman getting rather hostile. The boy stopped the play, but soon after O'Brien got hold of the Chinaman's arm and began to swing him round. He saw Yen lift his hand as if to strike O'Brien with something, but it was dusk and he did not see what, if anything, he had in his hand.

Chief Watson passed by just at the time the Chinaman was supposed to have been brandishing the knife, but it was dusk and he did not see what the Oriental had in his hand. He did not pay much attention to the affair as until the last moment the two men appeared to be having a friendly tussle. J. W. McBride, another fireman, saw the arrest and guarded O'Brien's rear as the latter took the Chinaman to the constable, and both he and O'Brien thought they saw the man pass something to one of his compatriots and thus accounted for the fact that the knife was not found on him when arrested.

For the defense William C. Moresby put the witnesses through a searching cross-examination, with the result that a number of the witnesses told stories which conflicted considerably with that of the complainant. He asked for a dismissal on the ground that the offense was not proved.

For the prosecution Mr. Moore said he would not press for the accused to be committed for trial, for although there was evidence on which the court could commit if it chose, still it was most improbable that a jury would convict on the evidence adduced, while on the other hand the theory of the defense that the man merely had a bunch of keys in his hand might be true, as a flash of electric light on the key might have been mistaken by the complainant for a knife. The case was dismissed, Mr. Northcott, in delivering the decision of the bench, saying that they were of opinion that the complainant had not proved his accusation.

Prior to the assault case James Smart, who pleaded guilty to vagrancy, was fined $20 or in default a month in jail.

**No Band Concert.**

There will be no band concert at Beacon Hill park by the band of the Fifth regiment this evening.

**Will Erect Office.**

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Sheriff's Office, Victoria, May 1, 1908.

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The vogue for pale soft dove and mist gray with brilliant splashes of color such as are supplied by embroidery of almost oriental magnificence will be pre-eminent. The alliance of slate gray with parsley green will also be in high favor.

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There is a demand for the separate coat; this on account of the many odd silk dresses worn. It seems strange to think of the separate coat as a cutaway model, but this is the smartest shape; it is a really tremendously becoming, worn over an odd skirt.

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The touch of pink is seen in the yoke linings. Pink taffeta slips are worn underneath the lace waists, and pink taffeta jumper effects trim the shoulders. The new jumper is very wide, forming a shoulder cape, and it is fastened to the girdle with beautiful medallions of lace and squares of embroidery.

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Rumor has it that mere man is about to take a leaf out of woman's book, and at the risk of ridicule protect his head from the rays of the summer sun with the parasol.

The rumor is confirmed by some West End shopkeepers, who profess to have done a good business in the last few days in sunshades specially designed for man's use. The shades are, of course, not the elaborate article used by the lady of fashion, but the plain, unadorned specimen often used by man in tropical countries.

At some of the recent race meetings a few well-dressed men have been bold enough to start the fashion, and at Ascot a gentleman having borrowed a pretty shade from a fair companion was not ashamed to take advantage of it.

# In Woman's Realm

## HERE AND THERE

The citizens of Victoria ought to be proud of the record made by the candidates for matriculation to McGill college. Not only is the pass list of sixty-six per cent. exceptionally high, but half of the ten leading students in the whole of Canada are from Victoria High School. In order of merit these are: Jean Robinson, Mary Hamilton, Daniel Marshall Gordon, Irene Adams and Barbara Mowatt. These students are all young and are to be congratulated on their attainments.

Victorians should recognize that in an educational institution that has won so high a standing among the schools of Canada they have a very valuable asset. People who come here to live want to educate their children. If they find that they can keep them at home while they are receiving their education the attractions of Victoria will be doubled. An apology is perhaps needed for putting the advantages of a good school on this comparatively low ground, but unfortunately, there has been a disposition on the part of some citizens to grudge the money spent in the equipment of the High School. It is true, too, that the work of a school is not to be judged, altogether by its pass lists. The value of the influence of the teachers on the young people who come under their care during the time of life when they need the most careful guidance cannot be overestimated. This influence is felt not less by the girls and boys who fail than by those who succeed. It is a pity that the McGill exhibitions for matriculants are limited to those who attend the college at Montreal. While an opportunity of pursuing their education is afforded the young people either at home or in Vancouver, parents will hesitate about sending boys and girls of sixteen or seventeen to a large and distant city. The encouragement of talent affords to rich and generous people an opportunity of doing good which they should not overlook. In the past many a poor student has been able to remain at college by winning bursaries or scholarships who would otherwise have been forced to give up his studies.

While congratulating pupils and teachers on the excellent showing Victoria college has made already it is hoped that in the near future both the college itself and the scope of its teaching will be greatly enlarged.

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A great deal has been said during the past year concerning the civil service and an act has been passed for its reform.

But there does not seem to have been any inquiry made as to the salaries paid, and their relation to the cost of living. While extravagance in the expenditure of public money should not be tolerated, Canada is too rich a country to treat her servants in a niggardly manner. The men and women who are employed by the state should receive at least as high wages as those who are employed in a similar capacity by private citizens.

We hear much of government favoritism, but is it not a fact that a very large proportion of the faithful servants of the country receive salaries upon which they and their families find it difficult with the utmost economy to live? Some of these have proved themselves faithful servants. It is not easy for one who has entered upon any course of life to give up his position. Perhaps this is especially true of the civil servant who has devoted years to learning the work of his department. Salaries which were sufficient ten or even five years ago have by the increased cost of living become inadequate.

The Civilian, the organ of the civil service, advises its members to strive for efficiency, honor and progress—to reform the service from within—and not to be too solicitous about the remuneration they receive. While it is true that we should all be more anxious to deserve good salaries than to receive them, Canada ought to act the part of the generous employer of labor and give fair remuneration for honest service.

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"I cannot say that the public school is in any particular responsible for juvenile crime," is a statement which Judge Lindsay makes in answer to a question on a subject in which he is greatly interested, and on which he is in a position to speak with authority. Judge Lindsay believes that education has done more to reduce crime than almost any other cause.

He would place the responsibility for the moral training of the child on the home, though he acknowledges that under existing circumstances it must be supplemented by the school. He considers, however, that the parents who show a disposition to shirk the duties they ought to perform themselves and to leave them to the school, are dangerous citizens. One of the duties of the parent is to see that his child attends school regularly. Truancy is one of the chief causes of crime in children and Judge Lindsay places the sole blame for this fault upon the parent. It may be doubted whether in this the kindly judge is right. While no parent should allow his child to be absent from school, there are some teachers who should share the responsibility of the truancy of their pupils.

In every class there is apt to be one or more children whose presence is a constant source of annoyance to the teacher. It sometimes happens that the easiest way of dealing with such pupils is to make life in the schoolroom so unpleasant for them that they are glad to escape even at the risk of the severest punishment. The teacher who takes this course is not necessarily cruel or unjust, and the child who gives trouble may not be wicked. But his presence interrupts the work of the school and is felt to be an injury to his classmates. When he stays away there is a sense of relief, and enquiry into the cause of his absence is neither prompt nor thorough. He drifts into the street, accepts some temporary employment or is removed to some other school where happily he will find a teacher who possesses more sympathy or greater forbearance. The life history of many a man who began his career of crime by playing truant, and so entering upon a course of deceit, would show that there are teachers who, in this respect, are to blame.

On the whole, Judge Lindsay, in spite of his wide experience with juvenile criminals, has great faith in the children of the United States. He believes that the great majority of school children are not only honest and law-abiding, but are developing in heart as well as in head. This verdict is full of hope for the nation. What is true in the United States is true in a greater degree of Canada. Where education is all but universal, the character of the children in the schools is that of the future men and women of the country.

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It is but little more than a year since the Young Women's Christian Association was reorganized. Many people in the city had the idea that there was not any need in Victoria for such an institution. However, the energetic board of directors saw that there were even then many young women here to whom the advantages offered by the Young Women's Christian Association would be a great blessing. A room was rented where meals were served and where girls could meet for social enjoyment or to take part in religious services. Something was attempted in the way of educational classes but without any great success. It was felt that the great need was for a home. The directors hesitated about undertaking the expenditure necessary to rent and furnish a house in a central situation. It was, however, finally decided to appeal to the generosity of the women of Victoria to furnish a home. The response was prompt and a moderate sized house was comfortably furnished. The result has far more than equalled the expectations of the directors and the many ladies who so generously contributed towards the expenses of the new home.

Girls who come to the city to look for situations find in Y.M.C.A. a place where they can stay while looking about them and a home to which they can return when they have an hour to spare or when they desire to change their places.

A small number of girls who are in business in the city prefer to live in the home rather than take a room in an ordinary boarding house.

Working girls from the Sound cities, from Vancouver and even from places farther away, both south and east, have found in the pretty sheltered house on Pandora street a delightful place to spend a holiday.

The register shows that women are coming to Victoria from places as far distant as Scotland and New South Wales, while a number of people in the middle and western states have heard of its attractions. The indications are that it will not be very long before the directors of the Y.W.C.A. will be obliged to seek for a larger home than the one they now occupy. At present however they are quite contented to see the work progressing gradually and quietly.

## NEW CHICKEN RECIPES

### Scalloped Chicken

Boil two chickens until tender; remove the bones and chop; place in a pan a layer of chicken; over this sprinkle pepper and salt, bits of butter, and finely chopped ham and cover with rolled cracker crumbs, then another layer of chicken, and so on until the pan is full. Over this pour one pint of sweet cream and add milk until dish is full. Bake until a delicious brown.

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### Pressed Chicken

Clean two to four pounds of chicken; cover with boiling water; simmer gently until tender. Remove chicken and add to the liquor in which they were boiled one onion, six cloves, one-half teaspoonful of celery seed, and reduce the liquor to three pints. Add one box of gelatin that has been soaked in one-half cup of cold water for 15 minutes. Add juice of one lemon and strain. Boil five minutes. Stand aside until slightly cool and strain; season with salt and pepper. Chop the chicken, arrange over the bottom of a mold thin slices of hard-boiled eggs, then a layer of chicken, a sprinkling of parsley, another of egg, and so continue until the mold is full. Pour over all just enough jelly mixture to cover the chicken and stand in refrigerator over night.

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### Chicken Souffle

Melt one tablespoonful of butter and add one teaspoonful of flour, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, and a dash of pepper. Cook till frothy, then add one cup of milk gradually. When the sauce boils add one-fourth cup of stale bread crumbs and cook 10 minutes; then add one cup of cold chicken, chopped, a teaspoonful of parsley, chopped fine; a few drops of onion juice and the yolks of two eggs, well beaten. Then fold in the whites of two eggs, beaten until dry. Bake in a buttered dish set in a pan of hot water until well puffed up and slightly browned, about 20 minutes. Serve at once with tomato sauce.

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### Hashed Chicken and Poached Egg

Remove the bits of meat from a cold roast or boiled fowl and chop them. Reheat one cup of meat in a cup of sauce. Flavor the sauce with a little celery salt. Spread the mixture on rounds of toasted bread and place a carefully poached egg above the chicken on each slice. Garnish with celery tops. Serve hot.

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Blindness, though counted among the most pitiable of human afflictions, is evidently conducive to longevity. According to a report of Oscar Kuestermann, superintendent of the Wisconsin Workshop for the Blind, four out of 250 persons received at the shops during the last year are more than 100 years old; fifteen men and four women are more than 90 years old; forty-two persons have attained an age between 80 and 90 years.

Every one of these aged blind persons is earning his own living and is entirely self-supporting. Those more than 100 years of age are in full possession of their faculties and are daily turning out baskets and other forms of willowware.

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He who is silent is forgotten; he who does not advance falls back; he who stops is overwhelmed, distanced, crushed; he who ceases to grow greater, becomes smaller; he who leaves off, gives up.—Heinri F. Amiel.

Every human geing is intended to have a character of his own, to be what no other is, to do what no other can do.—Channing.

The difference between one man and another is not so much in talent as in energy.—Arnold.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Denison left this morning on the Charmer for Vancouver.

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Mrs. Neale Murry and child, from Kamloops, are visiting the capital.

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Mr. George E. Keith, of Toronto, is spending a short time in town.

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A. B. Williams has gone to Vancouver on a short business trip.

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Mr. H. E. Hopper, from Indianapolis, is spending a few days in town.

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Mrs. J. C. Reid will not receive again until August.

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Mr. Blandy left last night for his home in Alberni.

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Mrs. Cudlip, of Michigan street, will not receive during the summer months.

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Miss S. Goss, of New York city, is visiting Mrs. L. N. Hall, Linden Ave.

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Mr. C. F. Caldwell, of Kaslo, B.C., is staying at the Empress during a visit to the capital.

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Mr. W. Blakemore and Miss B. Blakemore went over yesterday to Vancouver for the tennis tournament.

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Mrs. Charles Stewart, of San Francisco, is staying in Victoria registered at the Empress.

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Mrs. H. F. Douglas and Miss Douglas, from Minneapolis, are spending a short time in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. George A. Morphy have returned from a fortnight's visit to Harrison Hot Springs.

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J. S. E. Quinn leaves tomorrow via the Oriental Limited on a trip to Montreal and other cities of the east.

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Miss Sorby is spending a few days at Shawnigan lake, the guest of Mrs. R. Finlayson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Loat left last night to take up their residence in New Westminster.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sandwith, of San Juan Island, are visiting with their daughter, Miss Jane Sandwith, 860 Yates Sereet.

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H. E. Munday left this morning on the Princess Victoria on a short trip to Seattle.

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Dr. Fagan, secretary of the provincial board of health, left this morning on the Princess Victoria for a short trip to Seattle.

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J. S. Wilkinson leaves tonight via the Princess Victoria and the Oriental Limited on an extended trip to Boston and other eastern cities.

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Mrs. Page Baker left this morning on the Princess Victoria on a trip to Seattle, where she will visit with friends.

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H. A. Farquhar will leave this evening via the Princess Victoria and the Oriental Limited on a trip to New York and other eastern cities.

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Mr. George Weller, who is under treatment at St. Joseph's Hospital for a liver complaint, is reported to be in a somewhat critical condition.

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C. B. Sword, inspector of Dominion fisheries for this province, left this morning on the Charmer for Vancouver.

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Mrs. D. F. Ayers and child left on the steamer Governor last night to spend a month with relatives in Oakland and San Francisco, Cal.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Astley have returned to the Angela after spending a week at Finerty's with Capt. and Mrs. Tatlow.

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L. R. Lamb, of Winnipeg, who has been spending a day or two in the city, left this morning on his return to the east via the C.P.R.

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Mrs. J. W. Lee B. Farno and her children, with their nurse from Vancouver, are staying in town at the Empress.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McIntosh, from Los Angeles, California, are on a visit to this city and are staying at the Empress.

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Mrs. George Cruikshank, of Friday Harbor, is spending a few weeks in the city, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Ross.

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Mr. W. E. Hodgson, Mr. Thomas Hodgson and Mr. F. O. Hodgson, all from Vancouver, arrived by the Charmer last night on a visit to the city and registered at the Empress.

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Mrs. C. T. Sangster and niece, who have been visiting with friends on Hillside avenue, left this morning en route to their home in New Westminster.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Preston, of Calgary, who have been visiting with friends in this city and Vancouver, left this morning on their return to their home.

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Mrs. C. Barrett and daughter, Miss Annie Barrett, St. Louis, Mo., arrived on the Charmer Monday evening and are guests of Mrs. Bowman, 1328 Alfred street.

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Mr. E. J. Palmer, from Chemainus, came down last night to Victoria and registered at the Empress. He is expecting Mrs. Palmer to join him there this morning on her return from Seattle.

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Capt. S. P. McKenzie, of McKenzie Steamship company, of Vancouver, who has been spending a day or two in the city on business, returned to Vancouver this morning on the Charmer.

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Thomas Drysdale Veitch, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, has taken up his residence at the former home of Mrs. Heisterman, corner of Douglas and Hillside avenue. His telephone number is 560.

Mr., Mrs. and Miss Dennis, from Calgary, came over from Vancouver yesterday by the Princess Royal at noon and after spending the day in town at the Empress took this morning's boat for Seattle.

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Among the passengers on the Charmer for Vancouver this morning were O. J. Barwick, Miss Hodges, E. R. Street, J. Hanford, W. C. Cullen, C. T. Trutch, G. McDonald, J. Coburn, J. C. Sproule, Mrs. Hamilton, J. Mitchell.

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On the Princess Victoria this morning for Seattle the following passengers sailed: Miss Gage, Mrs. McDonald, S. J. McLeod, H. R. Watson, J. Price, Miss A. Moss, J. A. Cunningham, Mrs. Murray, Miss Lucas, Miss Leckley, E. F. O. Christianson.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Nicholson and son, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Creen and niece, Miss Creen, and Mr. Shewan, of Montreal, are visiting in the city, and are registered at the Hotel Victoria. They are well known in Victoria, where they have visited on several previous occasions.

## HINTS ON HEALTH

If people only knew what good health and good spirits attend sleeping with one's head under a window tent, one and all would do it, says a bulletin of the Indiana health department. Coughs, colds, pneumonia, consumption and all other diseases of the air passages are principally induced by breathing foul air. The window tent supplies fresh outdoor air to breathe and at the same time permits the body to be in a warm room. The head is accustomed to the cold, and in very cold weather an ordinary woman's knit hood may be worn to protect the ears and cheeks. During the night and when asleep the tissues are repaired and the brain and nerve cells are recharged with energy. Pure air is the great factor in repair work. Consumption and catarrh in their early stages can be cured by breathing fresh air night and day.

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Nothing is more whitening to the skin than a preparation containing almonds. The following one, known as almond milk, will be found particularly soothing in hot weather. It is made by blanching and pounding fifteen good-sized almonds with a gill of rose water. A piece of sugar the size of a pea should be added to hold the oils together and the rose water should be put in very slowly. This is a difficult thing to do successfully, for the nuts should be ground to powder. After this is accomplished and all the water has been added the mixture must stand over night, corked, and then be strained, when it is ready for use. It is wiped over the complexion, always after washing, and frequently through the day as well as when going to bed.


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# The Sporting World

## WESTMINSTER DEFEATS MINTO CUP HOLDERS

### Shamrocks Beaten By Goal in First of Series Played Yesterday

New Westminster.....6
Shamrocks .....5

Montreal, July 21.—In one of the fastest matches played here for years the New Westminster lacrosse team defeated the Shamrocks, last year's holders of the Minto cup, yesterday afternoon. The westerners went after victory from the blow of the whistle, while the Shamrocks, strengthened by two new and splendid men, were no less energetic. The latter, as a whole, were the heavier but the advantage of their weight was offset by the dash and vim of the British Columbia representatives who attacked and defended, as necessity arose, as one man, bunching at either end of the field with surprising facility. The Shamrocks had the advantage of being on their own grounds and before a crowd that used its united lung power in the effort to force them to victory. And they responded pluckily, fighting every inch and maintaining the strenuous pace set by their opponents until the end of the last quarter.

Up to the last the result was uncertain. The first goal was scored by the Shamrocks but before the end of the quarter the Westminster team had evened matters. In the second a sudden dash by the British Columbia champions was successful. But they didn't hold their lead for long, the Canadian champions netting two goals in succession. Then goals began to come thick and fast, both twelves going at it hammer and tongs. From the mix-up, however, the westerners emerged strong and with one point to the good. The third quarter brought a goal to Westminster and the fourth one to the credi of the Shamrocks.

After today's exhibition it is taken as almost a certainty that the Minto cup will journey westward and whatever eastern team takes it back will have to wrest it from New Westminster under the conditions with which the westerners had to cope today. The latter's achievement in winning the first of the series, however, is not as important as it would have been were the question of superiority to be decided by the number of straight victories. As the outcome hangs on the comparison of the total of the goals scored by the rival aggregations the next match, to take place in a week's time, is being looked forward to with interest by all who follow the Canadian national pastime throughout the Dominion.

**Faster In Field.**

Montreal, July 21.—(Later)—Despite the defeat the Shamrock supporters are not in the least downcast, figuring out that next Tuesday when the Irishmen will once more have Howard and Hoobin in the line-up that New Westminster will be defeated.

In the field the British Columbia team was faster than the Shamrocks, but this advantage was not fully utilized, and more than once the Shamrocks made use of the opportunity thus afforded to take the ball down the field. The New Westminster team also showed inferiority in stick handling. The defeat of the Shamrocks was largely due to the presence of a junior in the net. O'Kane did the best he could but it was noticeable that when, in the third quarter, he was taken off to even up for W. Turnbull, who twisted his knee, and Kayanagh replaced him, then the Irishmen played with much more confidence.

It was only towards the end that the Shamrocks played with their old time vim and in the final quarter they had the British Columbia men entirely on the defensive. It was only by blocking their goal that they were finally able to stave off defeat.

**Turnbull Star.**

The star of the New Westminster team was Alex. Turnbull. He gave no evidence of his 44 years, but kept up a fast pace from beginning to end. Kavanagh was unable to hold him, but in the latter part of the game Rochford was more successful. Galbraith and the Giffords played a fine game, being fully the equal of the men covering them. Their checking was much admired. In the net Grey played a nice game. Either Galbraith or Tom Gifford always went to his assistance in time of stress.

The score in detail is appended:

First Quarter—
1—Shamrocks, 7 minutes.
2—New Westminster, G. Gifford, 4 minutes.

Second Quarter—
3—New Westminster, Rennie, 30 seconds.
4—Shamrocks, J. Brennan, 3 seconds.
5—Shamrocks, Hogan, 6 minutes.
6—New Westminster, W. Turnbull, 6 minutes.
7—Shamrocks, P. Brennan, 2 minutes.
8—New Westminster, Turnbull, 7 minutes.
9—New Westminster, A. Turnbull, 1 minute.

Third Quarter—
10—New Westminster, Turnbull, 8 minutes.

Fourth Quarter—
11—Shamrocks, 5 minutes.

**Vancouver Cheered.**

Vancouver, July 21.—There was great enthusiasm here when the news was received of the victory of New Westminster over the Shamrocks. The grand stand at the baseball match with Tacoma rose en masse and cheered to the echo.

## VICTORIA TO PLAY WEBSTERS SATURDAY

### Locals Will Meet Crack Seattle Bunch at the Oak Bay Diamond

On Saturday next the Victoria nine will meet the crack Seattle Webster team. This nine is a combination of the Imperators and the Nationals, and as both these teams were decidedly fast ones th combined forces of the two make what is probably the fastest semi-professional nine in the northwest. They will have as their battery either Schmitz or Agnew in the box and Hannah behind the plate.

For Victoria, Peden and Northcott will do the battery work; Jack Rithet will be back at his old place on first, and the remainder of the nine will be the same as past games.

As the two teams are fairly evenly matched, the game should be an interesting one.

The local players will practice on Thursday evening, when all hands are requested to turn out for drill.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

**Northwestern.**

At Vancouver—Tacoma 3, Vancouver 0.
At Spokane—Butte 3, Spokane 1.

**American.**

At Boston—First game: St. Louis 1, Boston 2. Second game: St. Louis 2, Boston 3.
At Washington—Washington 1, Detroit 4.
At Philadelphia—Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 4.
At New York—First game: Chicago 6, New York 3. Second game: Chicago 3, New York 6.

**National.**

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 2, Philadelphia 3.
At Chicago—Chicago 0, Boston 5.
At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis 2, New York 4; 12 innings. Second game: St. Louis 3, New York 1.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 2, Brooklyn 0.

**Northwestern.**

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
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| Spokane | 45 | 29 | .616 |
| Vancouver | 44 | 34 | .571 |
| Tacoma | 38 | 37 | .500 |
| Aberdeen | 35 | 42 | .455 |
| Butte | 28 | 35 | .435 |
| Seattle | 34 | 47 | .420 |

**National.**

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 50 | 33 | .602 |
| New York | 48 | 34 | .585 |
| Chicago | 48 | 34 | .585 |
| Cincinnati | 45 | 40 | .529 |
| Philadelphia | 40 | 38 | .513 |
| Boston | 37 | 46 | .446 |
| Brooklyn | 30 | 49 | .380 |
| St. Louis | 29 | 53 | .354 |

**American.**

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 49 | 34 | .590 |
| St. Louis | 48 | 35 | .578 |
| Chicago | 46 | 37 | .554 |
| Cleveland | 45 | 37 | .549 |
| Philadelphia | 40 | 40 | .500 |
| Boston | 37 | 46 | .446 |
| Washington | 33 | 48 | .407 |
| New York | 31 | 52 | .373 |

**Coast.**

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Los Angeles | 51 | 42 | .549 |
| Portland | 47 | 40 | .541 |
| San Francisco | 50 | 51 | .495 |
| Oakland | 42 | 57 | .418 |

A sad blow was administered the confidence of members of the Capital Gun club the other day when a Victoria team defeated them over their own traps at the Willows.

## SCHWENGERS BEAT SUSSEX CHAMPION

### Hard Match in Vancouver Open Tennis Tourney—Miss Pooley Wins

Vancouver, July 21.—The feature of the second day's play in the Vancouver Tennis club's open tournament was the match between B. P. Schwengers, of Victoria, and present holder of the mainland championship, and E. J. H. Cardinall, former champion of Sussex, England. It was won by Schwengers in two straight sets, the score in the first was easy, in the second the English expert, playing stronger in every respect, gave the British Columbia crack a close struggle. In fact at one time the set hung on a point. Fortunately for Schwengers he rose to the occasion at the critical stage and captured the set and match.

Following are the complete results:

Men's singles—F. G. Tyler beat A. G. Barry, of Everett, by default. W. B. Ferrie beat F. G. Crychmay, 6-4, 6-1. P. Bowden beat A. D. Eddy, 6-0, 2-6, 6-2. B. H. Schwengers beat E. J. H. Cardinall, 6-1, 9-7. E. Rhodes beat C. J. Hall, of Everett, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. That was very closely contested. L. R. Freeman beat W. E. Burns, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's doubles—R. Bruce Smith and A. G. Jukes beat Rhodes Bros. in closest game of the whole afternoon, 6-4, 6-2.

In ladies' singles, Miss Beckett beat Miss Phipps, of Victoria, 6-0, 6-0, but Miss Phipps played an excellent game.

Mixed doubles—E. Jordan and Miss Pooley won from E. J. H. Cardinall and Miss Allen, 6-2, 6-3. This was a very exciting match. Tyler and Miss Beckett beat A. E. Jukes and Miss Bell, 6-3, 6-2.

Veterans' match—D. G. McDonnell beat H. Hulbert, 7-5, 6-3.

Ladies' doubles—Miss Hotchkiss, the champion, with Miss Beckett beat Mrs. Edgar Lee and Miss Jukes, 6-1, 6-0. Miss Hotchkiss is even cleverer than last year. Miss Pooley and Miss Phipps beat Miss Nanon Baker and Miss Morris, 6-4, 6-1. This was a fine match.

## SPLENDID SPORT AMONG THE ISLANDS

### Many Fish Caught at Cowichan Gay and Plumper's Pass

Fishing enthusiasts still are discussing the prospects of a heavy run of cohoe salmon. Those who have been sufficiently enterprising to try, despite the earliness of the season, have been successful in capturing "springs" which they assert are running in exceptionally large numbers. Although the cohoe salmon have been caught by the Indians in the neighborhood of Sooke, it is somewhat strange that few have landed off the Dallas Road during the past few days. However those who have time and have sought out different resorts among the Islands report that it is no trick whatever to secure as large a basket of both springs and cohoes as anyone could desire. One disciple of Izaac Walton announced last night that he had been fishing in "Plumper's Pass" and has secured three or four in about half an hour. He had two spoons out and obtained "strikes" simultaneously. It was a shock to find two fish, weighing respectively ten and fifteen pounds, tugging hard but, with remarkable coolness, he managed to handle both, landing them after some fine sport. Such experiences at Cowichan Gap and similar localities are common according to report and strange to say, the sport hitherto has attracted a comparatively small crowd.

**Races at Seattle.**

Seattle, July 21.—Results at the Meadows today were:

First race, six furlongs—First, Korositany; second, Nibulosus; third, Pepper and Salt.

Second race, six furlongs—First, Zelina; second, Elmdale; third, Cobleskill.

Third race, one mile—First, Convent Bell; second, Pickaway; third, St. Kilda.

Fourth race, one mile and a quarter—First, Pal; second, Arcourt; third, Bauble.

Fifth race, one mile—First, Uncle Henry; second, Silver Wedding; third, Lacrew.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs—First, Work and Play; second, Mechlin; third, Viviant.

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## TRIUMPHS FOR THE LOCAL TYRO TEAM

### Victoria "Young Ones" Captured Aggregate in Provincial Shoot

"Hurrah, the tyros win!" shouted a member of the Fifth Regiment rifle association rushing to the Clover Point Range club house after the last shots had been fired from 800 yards in the Victoria Corporation match. And the figuring of the busy statistician, "Tug" Wilson, a marksman who has occupied that onerous post for years and thus has become almost as natural a figure in connection with provincial shoots as the targets, substantiated the statement. The "young ones" of the local organization had won and that by a wide margin. Not only that but Capt. Angus, it was shown, had captured the aggregate, having to his credit 281 points as against the 277 scored by his closest antagonist, Mr. Christie, of the Vancouver Rifle association.

**Angus Congratulated**

These were the principal achievements of the second day's shooting in connection with the British Columbia association rifle meet. The veteran Victoria shots, metaphorically speaking, took a back seat in order that the rising generation of Capital City marksmen might pose to better advantage in the lime-light of public congratulation. And they had it handed to them from all sides. Capt. Angus, as the winner of the much prized aggregate, was kept busy shaking hands and promising that he would remember to call on other people's friends when he went to Ottawa to take part in the event from the results of which are selected Canada's representatives at Bisley. Of course he reminded all and sundry that he had not yet attained his place in the Grand Aggregate, but they couldn't accept such modesty, insisting that he would surely find himself among the fortunate few. There was only one drawback to Capt. Angus' triumph, and that, as he dolorously described it, was "that he had busted his tyro." Others agreed that it was a shame and some chuckled as they recollected that, although they had shot pretty close to the limit, they had not stepped beyond the mark drawn between the tyro and first-class shots, thereby assuring themselves more "easy money."

**Richardson's Possible**

Another incident, which occurred on the opening of the Victoria corporation match in the afternoon on which occasion the competitors were called on to fire from 600 yards, gladened the hearts of Victorians. The hero was Hospital Sergt. Fred Richardson. With his Ross rifle, of which many are just a little doubtful, he secured the possible—35 in seven shots on score. His "sighter" was an inner. This gave the local crack his bearings, enabling him to correctly guage the strength of the wind and the rest of his shots found the bull's eye every time, there being at the most a variation of a couple of inches. At a distance of 600 yards, with a "tricky" wind blowing, this was considered remarkable work and Richardson was forced to run the gamut of outstretched hands from both Island and Mainland contestants.

**A "Tricky" Wind**

With a possible to his credit he was looked on as the winner of the Victoria Corporation cup. But, alas, the outcome vindicated the adage that "there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip." At 800 yards Richardson fell down deplorably. However, he wasn't the only one. In fact there was quite a number who found it difficult to locate the centre ring from that distance under the prevailing conditions. Sergt. Turnbull, of New Westminster, and Co. Sergt. Major Caven, as well as Sergt. Major McDougall, both of Victoria, all classed among reliables, left the butts feeling somewhat dazed at the disconcerting manner in which their judgment had misled them in "sizing up the wind." As a result it was found, when the scores had been turned in, that one who had not been looked on as likely to carry off the honors, had come out on top. Color Sergt. Sperring, of the Vancouver Rifle association, was the victor, with 61—30 being made at the 600, and 31 at the 800 yard butts. His win, however, wasn't by a large majority. Next to him was H. C. Chamberlain of New Westminster, also with a total of 61. He, however, had made the mistake of obtaining 31 at the 600 and 30 at the 800 yard range, thus sacrificing his chance of winning the coveted trophy and the cash that accompanies it.

**An Aggregate Killer.**

An "aggregate killer" is what the old time shots characterize shooting at the 800 yard butts in the Victoria cup match. It was fired at about five o'clock in the afternoon. At the time Hospital Sergt. Richardson was squaded there was quite a heavy wind blowing. In the same bunch were a number of the crack shots of both the Island and mainland. Therefore, the shooting was watched with close attention. Much to the surprise of all Richardson started off with a "magpie." Closely scanning other score boards it was found that his rivals weren't doing much better. Suddenly the wind increased in velocity and veered slightly. Few noticed the change. Shots were fired, among them being one from Sergt. Richardson's gun. The markers refused to respond. "Surely it can't be a miss," exclaimed a number of spectators incredulously. Just then Range Officer Major Currie was requested to "challenge" No. 4, 5, 7 and others. This was done but the only satisfaction was the sight of waving flags denoting that close examination verified the first impression. The series of misses were correct. The range officer gathered in the coin and the marksmen meekly subsided.

Under such conditions the scores attained in the Victoria corporation by those coming within the money are deemed exceptionally good. The victor, Sperring, was 9 points from the possible. So was Chamberlain, only the latter foolishly, as stated, made his highest score from the 600 yards. Sergt. Major McDougal, of the Fifth Regiment association, was third with 60-10 points from the limit.

**Another Possible.**

The shooting which took place in the morning during the Nanaimo match was better. Then the wind was not as uncertain nor did the contest call for firing from the long ranges. Sergt. R. Wilson, of New Westminster, who was successful, came within two of scoring the possible out of fourteen shots at 200 and 600 yard ranges. He fell off to the extent mentioned at the latter butts, making the highest obtainable at the 200. This, with Sergt. Richardson's performance later on at 600, were the only such records made during the day.

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There are two more regular matches to be shot off before the completion of the B.C.R.A. programme. They are the Vancouver Corporation and the Lieut. Governor's match. The former is to be fired from the 800 yard range, ten shots on score to be allowed. There are fifty cash prizes valued at $134. The latter is from the 800 and 900 yards, ten shots at each, for $50, donated by the bankers of Vancouver and $125 added by the association.

The detailed scores of yesterday's matches follow:

**Nanaimo Corporation Match**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sgt. R. Wilson, 6th, New West. | 68 | $10.00 |
| Sgt. A. J. Barwick, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 66 | 8.00 |
| S. W. Bodley, New West. | 65 | 7.00 |
| Capt. R. Angus, 5th Regt., Victoria | 65 | 6.00 |
| S. Sgt. F. Richardson, 5th Regt., Victoria | 64 | 5.00 |
| Sgt. W. J. Sloan, 6th Regt., New West. | 64 | 4.00 |
| W. Ralph, V. R. A. | 64 | 4.00 |
| Sgt. W. Nott, R. C. G. A., Esquimalt | 63 | 4.00 |
| Pte. R. J. Butler, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 63 | 4.00 |
| Sgt. W. A. Taylor, 6th Regt. Vancouver | 62 | 3.00 |
| C. Q. M. S. Brayshaw, 5th Regt., Victoria | 62 | 3.00 |
| E. A. C. Studd, V. R. A. | 62 | 3.00 |
| J. Smith, V. R. A. | 62 | 3.00 |
| Capt. W. H. Forrest, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 62 | 3.00 |
| Co. S. M. J. Caven, 5th Regt., Victoria | 62 | 3.00 |
| Corpl. W. B. Hunter, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 61 | 2.50 |
| H. C. Chamberlain, New West. | 61 | 2.50 |
| W. Clark, Kamloops | 61 | 2.50 |
| H. Burnes, V. R. A. | 61 | 2.50 |
| W. D. Goodfellow, New West. | 61 | 2.50 |
| J. D. Quine, V. R. A. | 61 | 2.50 |
| Capt. W. P. Winsby, 5th Regt., Victoria | 61 | 2.50 |
| E. H. Gough, Nanaimo | 61 | 2.50 |
| Major J. Duff-Stuart, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 61 | 2.00 |
| Rt. S. M. E. McDougall, 5th Regt., Victoria | 60 | 2.00 |
| Corpl. C. J. Heaney, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 60 | 2.00 |
| H. Dunsdon, Summerland | 60 | 2.00 |
| A. C. Taylor, Kamloops | 60 | 2.00 |
| Col. Sgt. J. Chapman, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 60 | 2.00 |
| W. Miller, V. R. A. | 59 | 2.00 |
| Pte. C. Penny, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 59 | 2.00 |
| J. Lahman, Kamloops | 59 | 2.00 |
| Capt. W. Hart McKarg, 6th Regt., Vancouver, 28-31 | 59 | 2.00 |
| Gr. A. C. Boyce, 5th Regt., Victoria | 59 | 2.00 |
| B. Laughton, Kamloops | 59 | 2.00 |
| G. M. Gartrell, Summerland | 59 | 2.00 |
| Capt. J. C. Harris, 5th Regt., Victoria | 59 | 2.00 |
| E. W. Harding, Nanaimo | 59 | 2.00 |
| Sgt. M. Doyle, 5th Regt., Victoria | 59 | 2.00 |
| W. R. Christie, V. R. A. | 58 | 2.00 |
| J. F. Christie, V. R. A. | 57 | 1.00 |
| H. Miller, Kamloops | 57 | 1.00 |
| Corpl. A. Richardson, 5th Regt., Victoria | 57 | 1.00 |
| Gr. G. Anderson, 5th Regt., Victoria | 56 | 1.00 |
| Col. Sgt. J. Sperring, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 56 | 1.00 |
| Tpr. A. McDougall, 5th Regt., Victoria | 56 | 1.00 |
| J. R. Mackenzie, Nanaimo | 56 | 1.00 |
| W. Nelson, Summerland | 56 | 1.00 |
| Pte. Crookall, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 56 | 1.00 |
| Pte. Pope, 6th Regt., Vancouver, 26-27 | 53 | 1.00 |

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| 1—Sgt. M. Doyle, 5th Regt., Victoria | 23 |
| 2—Major J. Duff-Stuart, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 23 |
| 3—E. A. C. Studd, V. R. A. | 23 |
| 4—S. W. Bodley, Westminster | 23 |
| 5—S. Sgt. G. Turnbull, 6th Regt., New West. | 23 |
| 6—Lt. T. Cunningham, 6th Regt., New West. | 23 |
| 7—Q. M. S. Wright, R. C. G. A. | 23 |
| 8—Sgt. W. A. Taylor, 6th Regt., Vancouver | 23 |
| 9—S. Sgt. F. Richardson, 5th Regt., Victoria | 23 |

No 23's counted out.

**Victoria Corporation Match.**

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|---|---|---|
| C.-Sgt. J. Sperring, 6th, Van. | 61 | $10.00 |
| H. C. Chamberlin, New West. | 61 | 8.00 |
| R.-S.-M. E. McDougall, 5th | 60 | 7.00 |
| C.-Sgt. J. Chapman, 6th, Van. | 60 | 6.00 |
| Lt. C. Milne, 6th, Van. | 59 | 5.00 |
| Sgt. W. J. Sloan, 6, New W. | 59 | 4.00 |
| Capt. W. H. Hart-McHarg, 6th. Vancouver | 59 | 4.00 |
| W. J. Ferguson, Nanaimo | 59 | 4.00 |
| J. F. Christie, V.R.A. | 59 | 4.00 |
| E. A. C. Studd, V.R.A. | 59 | 3.00 |
| Lt. T. Cunningham, 6th, N.W. | 59 | 3.00 |
| Capt. W. H. Forrest, 6th, Van. | 58 | 3.00 |
| C.-S.-M. J. Caven, 5th, Vic. | 58 | 3.00 |
| J. W. Clark, Kamloops | 58 | 3.00 |
| A. R. Langley, Victoria | 58 | 3.00 |
| Gr. G. Anderson, 5th, Vic. | 58 | 2.50 |
| Sgt. F. Richardson, 5th, Vic. | 58 | 2.50 |
| Sgt. A. J. Barwick, 6th, Van. | 57 | 2.50 |
| Sgt. W. A. Taylor, 6th, Van. | 57 | 2.50 |
| Capt. R. Angus, 5th, Vic. | 57 | 2.50 |
| S. W. Bodley, New West. | 57 | 2.50 |
| Pte. E. E. Johndro, 6th, N.W. | 57 | 2.50 |
| Sgt. J. Anderson, 5th Vic. | 56 | 2.50 |
| Q.-M.-S. F. Wright, R.C.E. | 56 | 2.00 |
| Mr. Wilband, V.R.A. | 56 | 2.00 |
| W. Miller, V.R.A. | 56 | 2.00 |
| C.-S.-M. Brayshaw, 5th, Vic. | 55 | 2.00 |
| H. Burnes, V.R.A. | 55 | 2.00 |
| Sgt. G. S. Carr, 5th, Vic. | 54 | 2.00 |
| R. Q.-M.-S. Lettice, 5th, Vic. | 54 | 2.00 |
| Sgt. C. H. Williams, 6th, Van. | 54 | 2.00 |
| W. R. Christie, V.R.A. | 54 | 2.00 |
| Capt. H. A. Brown, Revelstoke | 54 | 2.00 |
| Sgt. M. Doyle, 5th, Vic. | 54 | 2.00 |
| A. E. Coffin, V.R.A. | 53 | 2.00 |
| H. Dunsdon, Summerland | 53 | 2.00 |
| V. H. C. Abbott, New West. | 53 | 2.00 |
| Tptr. A. McDougall, 5th, Vic. | 53 | 2.00 |
| E. H. Gough, Nanaimo | 52 | 2.00 |
| Capt. P. Elliston, R.G.A. | 52 | 2.00 |
| Gr. A. C. Boyce, 5th, Vic. | 52 | 1.00 |
| Capt. J. C. Harris, 5th, Vic. | 51 | 1.00 |
| W. Blizard, V.R.A. | 51 | 1.00 |
| Cpl. A. Richardson, 5th, Vic. | 49 | 1.00 |
| Pte. E. Emerson, 6th, Van. | 49 | 1.00 |
| Corpl. W. R. Smith, 5th, Vic. | 49 | 1.00 |
| Col.-S. W. Morgan, 6th, Van. | 48 | 1.00 |
| J. R. McKenzie, Nanaimo | 47 | 1.00 |
| A. Lewis, Kamloops | 47 | 1.00 |
| Pte. Pope, 6th, Van. | 47 | 1.00 |

**Council Announced**

At a meeting of those competing in the Fifth Regiment Rifle association shoot held last evening at the Drill hall, a radical change was made in the constitution. Heretofore it has provided a stipulated representation on the council from various branches. The alteration is to the effect that the number of delegates to which each association shall be entitled shall be regulated by the number of competitors entered in the annual provincial shoots. As a result Victoria has only three representatives, while Vancouver has just double the number.

The delegates chosen by the respective organizations follow:

Fifth Regiment Rifle association—Major Currie, Capt. Angus and Hospt. Sergt. Fred Richardson.

Work Point Garrison, Sergt. Collings.

Sixth Regiment—Major Reynolds Tite, Major J. Duff Stuart, Capt. W. Hart McHarg, Capt. G. A. Boult.

Vancouver Rifle association—J. D. Quine and W. Miller.

Nanaimo Rifle association — Dr. O'Brien.

Okanagan Rifle association—F. C. Wolfenden.

Kamloops Rifle association—J. Lehman.

In yesterday's report of the rifle shoot, reference should have been made to the Helmcken medal. This has been presented by H. D. Helmcken, K.C., for the last nineteen years.

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## TO DISCUSS PROJECT

### J. B. A. A. Shareholders Will Consider New Building Scheme Thursday Evening

The meeting of shareholders in the James Bay Athletic association for the purpose of considering the project submitted by the Imperial Trust company for the construction of a new club building will be held Thursday, instead of last night as was announced. It will take place at the Board of Trade rooms and, judging by the interest evinced among members of the organization as well as its financial supporters, it is likely that the question will be favorably considered. All appear united in the opinion that a new building is necessary, that more accommodation is an absolute necessity under prevailing conditions, and, moreover, that it is imperative, in order to ensure the future prosperity of the organization that more modern facilities be provided for the pleasure, convenience and comfort of those attached to the club. Therefore it is believed that the move will be endorsed or, if the terms submitted by the Imperial Trust company are not deemed satisfactory, that some steps will be taken in the direction indicated.

**Canadian Oarsmen**

Henley, July 21—The Argonaut eight yesterday rowed half the Olympic course in 3:52. Scholes rowed the full course this morning in 10:10. The water was very dead. All are well, and are getting used to the new boats, but none of the Canadians are thought to be dangerous by English critics.

**Cricket Practice**

A general club practice will be held at Beacon Hill this evening at 6.30 o'clock sharp by the members of the Albion Cricket club in preparation for their match against the Vancouver Cricket club Saturday next. It is hoped that every member will make it a point to be on hand as it is the committees intention to do away with the nets, and thereby get in some fielding practice. The personal of the eleven to play against Vancouver will be published later. Members will please note 6.30 o'clock, not 7 or 7.30, and govern themselves accordingly.

## CANADIAN YACHTS WIN

### Takes First Place in Two Classes in Regatta of Inter-Lake Yachting Association

Put in Bay, Ohio, July 21.—The two Canadian cruisers, Zoraya and Crusader, again captured first places in their respective classes in today's regatta of the Inter-Lake Yachting Association. This gives them the championship flags for their classes. The Zoraya won the class "A" honors, cruisers over thirty-three feet in length. The Crusador will take the flag in "B" class, cruisers under thirty-three feet. In addition to first, the Canadian boats took second and third in class "A" and second in class "C," twenty-one foot yachts. In class "F," Sprite, of Detroit, won, dividing honors with the Cleveland, of Cleveland, which took first yesterday, Spray, of Chicago, was third.

**Cloverdale Won.**

The Cloverdale United and Y.M.C.A. football teams tried conclusions last evening on the former's ground, the game resulting in a victory for the Cloverdales by a score of one to nil. Walter Rogers secured the point, after a splendid rush on the part of the Cloverdale forwards.

**Inter-District Baseball.**

In a match played between the Cloverdale and Hillside baseball teams last evening on the former team's grounds, the Cloverdale ball tossers were successful. They won by 17 to 7. As is indicated by the result the contest was somewhat uneven, although the Hillside boys fought pluckily to the final inning.

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# On the Waterfront

## FAST STEAMERS FOR RATE WAR

### Joshua Green Says He is Negotiating for H. R. Kennedy and Lake's Steamers

### PROBABLY THE TURBINIA

### Cut on the Seattle-Vancouver Route Not Met By Opposition Company

Following the system adopted since he began the rate war with the C.P.R., now beginning to prove costly to his company, Joshue Green, manager of the International Steamship Company, has met the latest cut made by the C.P.R. in the rate war by more promises of competing steamers. First it was the Rosalie for the Victoria-Vancouver run, then the steamer Bellingham, then the Victorian was rumored, and now Mr. Green announces that a fast steamship owned on the British side of the Great Lakes and the new steamer H. B. Kennedy, now being built at Portland, are to be secured to run in opposition to the C.P.R. Mr. Green, in an interview given at Seattle, is quoted as follows:

"The new steamer H. B. Kennedy, being constructed at Portland, will be inspected by the Canadian officials so that her boilers will meet the requirements imposed by the Canadian government inspectors, with a view of having her placed under Canadian register to run between Vancouver and Victoria if the C.P.R. keeps up the fight that long. It will be some months before the Kennedy is finished, in fact we do not expect her off the ways until next spring, but with a view of having a vessel ready to use in British waters, should the occasion require it, the Kennedy will be equipped in such a way that the transfer from American register will be made without difficulty.

"The Puget Sound Navigation Company is also negotiating with a company operating a very fast steamship on the British side of the Great Lakes. She has a speed of twenty knots, and if we can gring the negotiations to a successful conclusion we will have her out on the Pacific coast as soon as it will be safe enough to send her south on the Atlantic and around South America. It is now winter there, and the steamship would not be sent on the long voyage until the stormy seaso nis over. She can carry 1,500 passengers, and if brought to this side would be put on the triangular run against the C.P.R. vessels. Her speed is equal to that claimed for the new C.P.R. steamship now about completed, which is in excess of that of the Princess Victoria."

The steamer on the Great Lakes referred to is probably the turbine steamer Turbinia, built in 1904 by Hawthorn Leslie & Co., on the Tyne, for the Turbine Steamship Company, of Hamilton, Ontario. It is considered improbable that this company would sell its fast steamer, which is the speediest of the passenger steamers on the Canadian side of the Great Lakes. There is none there that can cope with the steamer Princess Victoria, which is the fastest passenger steamer on the American continent. In Lloyd's register, the C.P.R. steamer is registered as among the 19½ knot steamers, while the opposition company's steamer Chippewa is among the 15½ knot vessels. She is advertised by her owners as a 20 knot vessel.

It is considered among local shipping men that the announcement by Mr. Green, regarding the negotiations for the H. R. Kennedy, a steamer being constructed on the Columbia, and the Great Lakes passenger steamer, is more of the nature of a bluff. There are few 20 knot steamers on the Canadian Great Lakes and the steamer Turbinia is among the few that would any way meet with the description given by the manager of the International Steamship Company. She is a steamer of 603 tons net, 250 feet long, 33.2 beam and 12.6 beam, capable of handling about as many passengers as the Chippewa. She has turbine engines, being equipped with three Parsons turbines.

The local steamship inspectors have not yet been requested to inspect any steamers by Mr. Green.

The Seattle company has not met the cut made on the Seattle-Vancouver route. It figures that as the C.P.R. is not catering for the return direct travel the cheap travel outward to Vancouver from Seattle will be a feeder for the steamer Iroquois' homeward trip to the Sound.

At Vancouver, Mr. Zimmerman, agent of the Seattle company, said:

"Within a few days the company would declare war on the C.P.R. in its own territory and put on a direct service between Vancouver and Victoria. A suitable steamer for the run is already in sight and the arrangements will possibly be closed tomorrow."

Yesterday the steamer Princess Victoria had her lay-over and the steamer Chippewa brought 443 passengers from Seattle. On nearing the port the Chippewa met the steamer Princess Royal near Trial Island, bound from Vancouver to this port, and a pretty race took place. The C.P.R. steamer slowly drew ahead of the opposition steamer and passed into the harbor a few lengths in advance of the Chippewa.

## LIBELS STEAMER OHIO FOR MANY THOUSANDS

### Claims Amounting to $60,000 Cause Detention of Delayed Liner at Cape Nome

The steamship Ohio, of the White Star Steamship company, which was delayed in the ice in Bering sea on the first trip to Nome, and which did not reach that port until forty days out of Seattle, is held at Nome under libel actions brought by passengers who claim damages on account of the loss of time in making the voyage.

The claims against the ship total $60,000 so far. Arrangements to free the steamship by the filing of bonds with the United States court at Nome were made in Seattle yesterday by the White Star Steamship company, when the bonding company of John A. Whalley & Co., undertook to provide sureties to the extent of $100,000 in the court at Nome.

Owing to the interruption of the cable and wires the news of the legal proceedings against the Ohio was not received in Seattle until Monday morning. A conference was held between Frank Waterhouse of Waterhouse & Co. and officials of John J. Sesnon & Co. and the Alaska Steamship company, the three largest owners of stock in the White Star Steamship company, at which it was decided to forward bonds for $40,000 more than the total amount of the libels on the Ohio to take care of any new developments.

"All we know about the libels on the Ohio is the total amount of the claims, and the fact that all were placed by passengers who are suing for damages occasioned by the delay of the vessel which was caught in the ice pack," said Frank Waterhouse last evening. "We have little information. Our attorneys both in Nome and in Seattle advise us that the claims cannot be made to stand in law. We have a special clause in all the tickets sold for the far north voyages which expressly stipulates that the steamship company shall not be held liable for delays caused by the ice. In any event, the steamship company is fully protected by insurance both for delay and for damages."

Thousands of dollars were lost by the long voyage of the Ohio under Capt. Conradi. Practically the full staff of the Northern Trading and Transportation company were on the ship, as well as many important operators, whose business will be held back nearly a month, an important feature in Alaska, where the summer season is exceedingly short.

The steamer will be released in a few days and will proceed to St. Michael to discharge the cargo for Yukon river points.

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE

**Special to the Colonist**

Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Foggy, wind south, 8 miles an hour.

Tatoosh, noon—Clear, wind south, 16 miles an hour.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Clear, wind west, 10 miles an hour. Out, steamer Iyo Maru, Victoria for Yokohama, at 4.30 p.m.

**By Wireless**

Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Foggy, wind south, 8 miles an hour. Bar. 29.98, temp. 54. No shipping.

Estevan, 8 a.m.—Clear, wind south. Bar. 30.06, temp. 59. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Pachena, 4 a.m.—Fine, with some fog, wind southeast. Bar. 29.91, temp. 63. Moderate sweli. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, 8 a.m.—Clear, light north wind. Bar. 29.95, temp. 75.

Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Clear, and calm. Bar. 29.94, temp. 78. No shipping.

Tatoosh, noon—Clear, wind south, 16 miles an hour. Bar. 29.98, temp. 56. No shipping.

Estevan, noon—Clear, wind southwest. Bar. 30.01, temp. 66. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Pachena, noon—Hazy, light southeast wind. Bar. 29.94, temp. 68. Heavy swell. Tees here at 11.45 a.m.

Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, light north wind. Bar. 29.98, temp. 88. Sea smooth. Steamship with black hull, white upperworks, red stack with black top, south, at 11.45 a.m.; probably Camosun.

Point Grey, noon—Clear, light northwest wind. Bar. 29.99, temp. 78.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Clear, wind west, 10 miles an hour, Bar. 29.96, temp. 56. Out, Japanese steamer Iyo Maru, at 4.30 p.m.

Pachena, 6 p.m.—Hazy, northwest breeze. Bar. 29.93, temp. 62. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Estevan, 6 p.m.—Clear, westerly breeze. Bar. 29.98, temp. 62. Sea smooth. Spoke steamer Kaga Maru, Yokohama for Victoria, at 4 p.m.; all well; will arrive at William Head 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Cape Lazo, 6 p.m.—Clear, wind northwest. Bar. 29.95. No shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p.m.—Clear, wind northwest. Bar. 29.95. Moderate sea.

## KAGA MARU WILL ARRIVE THIS MORNING

### Japanese Liner Reported By Wireless—Will Reach Quarantine at 10 a.m.

The steamer Kaga Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, Capt. G. S. Lapraik, reported by wireless telegraph to the Estevan point coast station at 4 p. m. yesterday, all well, inbound from Yokohama to this port with 31 passengers and 250 tons of freight to land here. The Japanese liner will arrive at William Head quarantine station at 10 a. m. today and will probably dock at the outer wharf about noon. Like her sister steamers the Kaga Maru has been equipped with wireless telegraphic apparatus of the Japanese pattern, the usual range of which is 120 miles. The apparatus is known as the Tei-shin-sho and is stated to be the invention of O. Osano and M. Saike, Japanese naval engineers, the former of whom represented the Japanese government at the International Wireless Telegraph convention held at Berlin in 1906. It is stated by experts to be a slight variation on the Telefunken, a German system. All the Japanese liners have been equipped with apparatus, and stations are in use on the Japanese coast.

The French steamer Amiral Magon of the Chargeurs Reunis line is also expected to reach port today from the Orient. The French steamer is on the round-the-world schedule from Havre via the Suez and the Orient, returning by way of Central and South America.

## IYO MARU LEAVES FOR THE FAR EAST

### Took Orientals Deported for Attempting to Smuggle Themselves Across the Border

The Japanese steamer Iyo Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha sailed from the outer wharf yesterday morning with 13 saloon, 9 intermediate and 53 steerage passengers and a cargo of about 3500 tons of general freight. The Japanese steamer had little freight and no Chinese passengers, the line still feeling the effect of the boycott launched some time ago at Canton. Included among the steerage passengers were four Japanese and three Chinese who were deported by the United States immigration officials. One of the Japanese was insane, another had been caught at the boundary line endeavoring to cross surreptitiously from Canada. One of the Chinese, who had cut his queue and dressed in European clothing, was also caught at the boundary line when endeavoring to cross from Canada and was deported to Hongkong.

## TRANSIT'S INJURIES ARE NOT SERIOUS

### One Plate Broken and Another Dented Wireless Apparatus Necessary for Steamers in Ice Field

The steamer Transit, Capt. Danielsen, was surveyed by T. G. Michell, Lloyd's surveyor, in the dry dock at Esquimalt yesterday morning and it was found that one plate was broken and one dented, it being necessary to take out two plates. The repairs will not occupy long, and the steamer will probably go north again. It is expected that before the spring trip of next year when the fleet of steamers takes several thousand passengers into the ice, the majority engaged in the trade will be equipped with wireless telegraphic apparatus, which will, in a measure, relieve some of the anxiety concerning their safety. That accident is bound at some time to occur if the steamers continue to buck the ice in the effort to force their way to Cape Nome before the ice pack is gone is inevitable.

There would be less danger of loss of life if the steamers were all equipped with wireless telegraphic apparatus and able to communicate their position to others of the fleet. The steamers Victoria and Yucatan have been equipped and apparatus is to be placed on other vessels. The Railway and Marine News, of Seattle, says: "It is stated that the Pacific Coast Steamship company is also considering the installation of wireless on the vessels of their fleet that make Bering Sea ports.

"Had this important detail in the navigation and operation of ships been attended to before the opening of the season much anxiety would have been allayed, and assistance could have been rendered. Had the other vessels of the Nome fleet been equipped with wireless they could have kept in touch with each other, and any advantage gained by one could have been reported to the others and much of the danger to all obviated. The installation of this modern means of communication at sea should not only be made for the benefit to owners and passengers, but should be made imperative by the United States Government. This apparatus is not only as great a safety appliance as other things demanded by United States inspectors, but is a convenience and a safeguard that is almost indispensible to the safety of the vessel.

"The United States Government has recently installed modern lighthouses at Unimak Pass, and it would be an easy matter to install in connection therewith a wireless station, which could not only keep in communication with Nome, but could communicate with vessels northbound and southbound, and under favorable conditions with the station at Sitka. The government could go further. It could equip the vessels of the Revenue Cutter service with wireless, and these vessels could investigate ice conditions in Bering Sea before the arrival of the regular fleet, and report same to owners and operators on the outside, who could then act accordingly. This would surely be one of the most effective aids to navigation, and at the same time one of the cheapest.

The British steamer Lord Sefton, one of the steamers in the Australian mail line's monthly service to Australia, passed up to Comox yesterday to load bunker coal. She is scheduled to leave San Francisco on July 31.

The tug Daring arrived from Vancouver yesterday, in charge of Capt. Sinclair, for a scowload of bricks.

## KOSMOS LINER ANUBIS MAY BE WRECKED

### Is Ashore at Santa Rosa Island Close to Where Sealing Schooner Ella G. Was Lost

The Kosmos liner Anubis is ashore on Santa Miguel or Santa Rosa island in Santa Barbara channel, close to where the Victoria sealing schooner Ella G was lost some months ago, where she struck on July 19 when on her way from San Francisco to Hamburg via South America with a cargo of 4000 tons of freight, including 1000 tons of general merchandise and 3000 tons of barley. Negotiations are under way with the Puget Sound Salvage company of Seattle for the despatch of the steamer Santa Clara to assist the stranded German steamer, which is reported likely to become a total loss. Santa Rosa island is one of a group of islands off the lower Californian coast on which there are several fishing villages. The only communication with Santa Barbara on the mainland is by schooner. There are three islands, the larger being Santa Rosa and Santa Cruz, and San Miguel, a smaller island lies to the northwest of Santa Rosa.

The Anubis which struck on a reef was considered likely to become a total loss when word was sent to Santa Barbara by a gasoline vessel. The steamer is one of the steamers of the Kosmos line engaged in the service from Hamburg to San Francisco and Puget Sound via South and Central America. The steamer left San Francisco on Saturday. She is a steel twin screw steamer, with two steel decks, of 3089 tons net and 4763 tons gross, and was built by J. T. Thompson & Sons of Sunderland. Her length is 382 feet, beam 43.2 feet and depth 26 1-2 feet.


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## NEED OF FISHERY PROTECTION CRUISER

### Schooner Shamrock Takes Catch Off Esperanza Inlet—Zapora's Owners Plead Not Guilty

How the poaching vessels continue to fish on the Vancouver island grounds in the absence of a proper fishery protection patrol is again evidenced by the arrival of the schooner Shamrock at Tacoma with 35,000 pounds of fish taken off Vancouver island. The Tacoma Ledger says: During the first three days on the bank the Shamrock was in a bad gale, the weather being extremely heavy, but after this conditions were fine and the vessel had good luck. Most of the time she fished in the vicinity of Esperanza inlet.

The Tacoma paper says also: "Allegations by Canadians that American fishing steamers are constantly infringing upon the three-mile limit off Vancouver island are emphatically denied by officers of Tacoma fish company. The matter received some attention yesterday following the publication by a Victoria paper of charges of this nature. The name of the Tacoma steamer Zapora was mentioned in this connection.

"The Zapora has always fished outside of the prescribed limits,' said William R. Morse, secretary and treasurer of the International Fisheries company yesterday, discussing the matter. 'In any event, our steamers never seek fish off the west coast of Vancouver island, but always to the north and in the open sea.

"'Even if we were disposed to encroach along the Canadian shore, seafaring people know how foolish it would be for us to take chances with our steamers, especially one of the value of the Zapora. Why, we can't afford to take such a chance if we wanted to, but we don't want to fish inside the limits, because fish are not so scarce that we have to break the law. Our captains have absolute instructions not to fish within the three-mile limit, and this order has never been violated. Any report to the contrary is wrong, unjust and unfair to us.'

"Fish men state that the assertions on the Canadian side are due largely to jealous rivalry. There is not sufficient market in Canada for a large business, and if fish is sent into the United States, duty has to be paid. Consequently, when an American steamer reports a large catch, the Canadian cousins immediately assume that the catch was made in Canadian waters.

"It is pointed out that the British Columbia cutter patrolling the banks is equipped with guns, and although she is not so very fast, she would not have much difficulty in stopping a smart vessel with her guns. In Tacoma it is not believed that any of the Americans are taking chances, especially after the recent seizure of the American steamer Francis Cutting of Seattle. This vessel was taken and, while technically guilty, it is claimed that the violation was not intentional. It is not likely that the owners of the Cutting will get the vessel back.

"The steamer Zapora, state her owners, was built for speed, not for the purpose of running away from the revenue cutters, but so that she might be able to deliver her catches quickly, and this she had always done. On her last cruise, from which she returned with 140,000 pounds, the Zapora was away to the north of Vancouver island, and so far off the mainland that the land was almost out of sight."

Two of the Chinese crew of the Canadian-Mexican liner Georgia, lying at Heatley avenue slip at Vancouver, have slipped ashore, and the owners are now under a penalty of $1,000 or bond of $500 for each Celestial. The Georgia has been laid up at the slip for the past month undergoing repairs, and a close watch has been kept on the crew to prevent any of its members slipping ashore. Two of them, however, eluded the officers, and their absence was discovered on Monday. Consequently $1,000 is the amount to be paid to the government.

The New England Fishing company's steamer Manhattan is discharging 120,000 pounds of halibut at Vancouver. So big have the catches been during the last three months that the New England Fish company found itself unable to handle the enormous cargoes its steamers were bringing in. Consequently a limit has been placed, and now, when a steamer has obtained about a hundred thousand pounds she has to come in.

The quarantine tug Earle is being overhauled on Turpel's ways in the upper harbor.

## MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

**Steamers to Arrive.**

From the Orient.

| Vessel. | From. | Due. |
|---|---|---|
| Kaga Maru | | July 22 |
| Amiral Magon | | July 22 |
| Empress of Japan | | July 26 |
| Tremont | | July 28 |
| Oanfa | | Aug. 2 |

From Australia.

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|---|---|---|
| Aorangi | | July 30 |
| Moana | | Aug. 27 |
| Manuka | | Sept. 24 |


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From Mexico.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Lonsdale | | Sept. 16 |

From Skagway.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Princess Beatrice | | July 24 |
| Princess May | | July 28 |

Northern British Columbia Ports.

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|---|---|---|
| Camosun | | July 22 |
| Amur | | July 26 |
| Venture | | July 18 |
| Vadso | | July 21 |

From West Coast.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tees | | July 30 |

From San Francisco.

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|---|---|---|
| President | | July 24 |
| Governor | | July 29 |
| City of Puebla | | Aug. 3 |

**Sailing Vessels.**

| Left. | | Date. |
|---|---|---|
| Alta | | Newcastle |
| Kynance, Liverpool | | April 5 |
| Haddon Hall, Liverpool | | April 2 |
| (Reached Montevideo in distress June 9) | | |
| Falls of Dee, Iquique | | May 7 |
| Inverclyde, Santos | | July 6 |

**Steamers to Sail.**

For the Orient.

| Line. | | Date. |
|---|---|---|
| Iyo Maru | | July 21 |

For Australia.

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| Marama | | July 17 |

For Mexico.

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|---|---|---|
| Lonsdale | | July 31 |

For Skagway.

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|---|---|---|
| Princess Beatrice | | July 26 |
| Princess May | | Aug. 2 |

For Northern British Columbia Ports.

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|---|---|---|
| Venture | | July 22 |
| Camosun | | July 22 |
| Vadso | | July 28 |

**Local Steamers.**

**Vancouver-Victoria.**

Princess Royal.

Leaves Vancouver 9 a.m. daily except Wednesday.

Arrives Victoria 2 p.m. daily except Wednesday.

Steamer Charmer leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. daily.

Leaves Victoria 12 midnight, daily.
Arrives Victoria 7 p.m. daily.
Arrives Vancouver 7 a.m. daily.

**Victoria-Seattle and Vancouver**

Princess Royal

Leave Seattle 10 p.m. except Tuesday.
Arrive Vancouver 8 a.m. except Wednesday.

Leave Vancouver 9 a.m. except Wednesday.

Arrive Victoria 2 p.m. except Wednesday.

Leave Victoria 4 p.m. except Tuesday.
Arrive Seattle 9 p.m. except Tuesday.

Princess Victoria

Leave Victoria 1.30 a.m. daily except Tuesday.

Arrive Seattle 6.30 a.m.
Leave Seattle 8 a.m.
Arrive Victoria 12 noon.
Leave Victoria 12:45 p.m.
Arrive Vancouver 4.45 p.m.
Leave Vancouver 6 p.m.
Arrive Victoria 10 p.m.

Chippewa.

Leaves Victoria daily (except Thursday) at 4:30 p. m.
Arrives daily, 1:30 p. m.

**Upper Fraser River.**

Beaver.

Leaves New Westminster 3 a. m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

Leaves Chilliwack 7 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Calling at landings between New Westminster and Chilliwack.

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Leaves New Westminster Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and Saturday, 2 p. m.; additional trip Monday 5 a. m.

Leaves Steveston Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 7 a. m.; Friday 6 a. m. Additional trip Saturday 5 p. m.

**Vancouver-Nanaimo (E. & N. Ry.)**

Joan.

Leaves Nanaimo 7 a. m.

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Leaves Nanaimo Wednesday, 7 a. m.
Arrives Union Bay and Comox Wednesday 2 p. m.

Leaves Union Bay and Comox Thursday, 7 a. m.
Arrives Nanaimo Thursday, 2 p. m.
Leaves Nanaimo Friday, 7 a. m.
Arrives Union Bay and Comox Friday, 2 p. m.

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British ship Toxteth, 141 days from Port Talbot for Tocopilla. Reinsurance 10 per cent.

German ship Arethusa, 126 days from Port Talbot for Iquique. Reinsurance 8 per cent.

German ship Oregon, 140 days from Barry for Callao. Reinsurance 8 per cent.

British bark Lota, 131 days from Liverpool for Valparaiso. Reinsurance 8 per cent.

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# Mainland News

## ADVICE TO JAPANESE FROM THEIR PAPER

### Lesson From San Francisco Incident at Time of Fleet Reception

Vancouver, July 21.—The Canadian News, a Japanese publication issued in Vancouver, has the following to say in a recent issue regarding the assimilative qualities of the Japanese on this coast:

"That we Japanese are not very enthusiastically welcomed on the Pacific coast is a fact, the explanation of which, it is needless to say, is not very difficult. And that the fault is not altogether on our part also goes without saying. But at the same time we cannot say that the attitude of our people has always been in all respects above reproach.

"Fortunately the platform of the Republican party contains no anti-Japanese plank, as some had prophesied that it would, but the Democratic party has openly declared against us in its platform. The reason given is that we are hard to assimilate in America. We have already pointed out the error of this position (as to Japanese non-assimilability), but in seeking to understand why such wild words have been publicly announced (by the Democratic party) should we not at least examine ourselves to see if we are at fault?

"To cite an incident which is not so very recent, when the American fleet reached San Francisco, Mr. Sunada, of the Great Northern hotel, Seattle, went to that city to join in the welcome. The Japanese in San Francisco and vicinity entered into the welcoming preparations with great zeal, contributing $6000 for that purpose. But when the fleet arrived and the honored guests landed secret instructions were issued warning the Japanese not to make themselves conspicuous upon the streets! Mr. Sunada who was entirely ignorant of the relations between the Japanese and whites in San Francisco, went forth into the crowd and freely gave expression to his sincere feelings of welcome. But he was basely insulted. His hat was knocked off with walking-sticks, he was poked in the back, bumped with the shoulders and treated with the extremest discourtesy. Think of it! After our countrymen, though comparatively few in number, had given $6000 to the welcome fund and joined with all their hearts in the spirit of the occasion, to be treated with contempt and disgrace like that! Such a thing would not have occurred in our city of Vancouver or in Seattle.

"This is only a single example, one little spark revealing the relations between our countrymen and the whites. From this little spark it is not difficult to imagine how far the anti-Japanese sentiment has risen.

"Is it not time then to inquire what has caused this sentiment! Let us not assume that it is wholly due to the prejudice of the white people. Let us frankly face the question whether we are wholly free from the fault charged by the Democratic party.

"Living and carrying on our enterprises in a foreign land should we not strive increasingly to adapt ourselves to the people and the customs of that land?

"Is it not due to our failure at this point that the Democratic party has charged us with being hard to assimilate?

"'Mend your roof before it begins to rain,' says the proverb. Well, will it be for both whites and Japanese if we devise some means of rendering ourselves acceptable to the people of this country before the situation becomes so bad as it is in San Francisco."

#### Precaution Against Fire.

North Vancouver, July 21.—The North Vancouver City Council is determined to reduce the fire danger to a minimum, and owners of uncleared lots which are regarded as a danger have been given notice to get the property cleared right away. A refusal to do so means that the city will undertake the work itself and charge the owner with the cost.

#### Trip Through Mountains.

Vancouver, July 21.—G. D. Dick, of North Vancouver, has left on an extended trip through the mountains. It is his intention to tramp to Squamish, over the old Lillooet trail, via Lynn and Seymour Creek, thence to the country at the headwaters of the Squamish, whence he will journey across country to the head of Harrison Lake and along the Lillooet river.

#### Killed by Owl Train.

Vancouver, July 21.—On Sunday morning the Owl train on the Great Northern, running from Vancouver to Seattle, struck an unknown man near Bok station, instantly killing him. The engineer stopped the train as soon as possible after the accident and a searching party went along the track, thinking the man might only be injured. His body was, however, later found on the running gear of the cars, frightfully mutilated. It was taken to Bok and delivered to the authorities. No identification mark could be found on the man, and it possible the case is one of suicide as the engineer states the victim jumped from the side of the track directly in front of the engine.


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## SALMON BUSINESS DURING PAST YEAR

### Reports and Statements at Annual Meeting of the Association

Vancouver, July 21.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the B. C. Packers' association held yesterday morning at the offices of the company, on Granville street, Vancouver, the balance sheet for the last fiscal year was presented, directors elected, and the report of W. H. Barker, general manager, presented. The old directors were all re-elected, as follows: W. H. Barker, Aemilius Jarvis, E. W. Rollins, E. E. Evans, Campbell Sweeny, William Braid and Robert Kelly.

The report of W. H. Barker on the business of the company for 1907 was as follows:

"We operated twelve canneries and one cold storage plant.

"The run of sockeyes on the Fraser river was almost a failure—the total pack of Fraser river was less than 60,000 cases. Our total pack from all points was 139,805 cases canned salmon, 180 tons mild cured salmon and 2,783,978 lbs. of frozen salmon and halibut, besides a small quantity of cod, herring, sturgeon, etc.

"Quite a large part of our canned salmon was of the cheaper varieties, the packing of which shows little or no profit; the lower grades of salmon being in demand, owing to the short supply of sockeyes.

"Betterments—Our frozen and fresh fish business having grown beyond the capacity of our plant, we decided to enlarge it. We succeeded in getting a lease from the Canadian Pacific railway of three lots adjoining our plant, and have built an addition, which doubles our capacity and gives us two boilers, two engines and compressors, making a complete up-to-date cold storage plant. We have also added another cold room to our Balmoral cannery on the Skeena river, and installed a five-ton compressor there.

"Steamers—We have built a new hull for steamer Constance's engines. We had a new boiler, and upon examining the hull, we decided that it would be unwise to place the new boiler in the boat. Our new steamer is well suited to our business in every way.

"Traps—Our venture with Messrs. J. H. Todd & Sons in joint operation of traps, proved very satisfactory last year. We have arranged to continue it, and in addition, to operate jointly their Esquimalt cannery. So far the traps have done slightly better than last year in catching spring salmon. We trust they will do as well with sockeyes.

"Hatcheries—Our Nimpkish hatchery again turned out its capacity of sockeye fry—about 5,000,000. The natural grounds were also well seeded. While our pack of sockeyes at Alert bay was not very large in 1907, being 4,135 cases, taken in comparison with that of 1902, which was 17,772 cases, and 1903, 1,505 cases, it would look as if the hatchery should get some credit. The hatcheries on streams tributary to the Fraser river turned out quite a large quantity of sockeye fry, about 50,000,000, everything was favorable for the retention of the parent fish. The natural spawning beds were not well seeded. The hatchery at Rivers inlet did better than last year, having turned out some 12,000,000. Both at Rivers inlet and the headwaters of the Skeena, the natural spawning grounds were well seeded.

"Cold Storage—As previously stated, we have doubled the capacity of our cold storage plant, and have installed the boiler and engine of the tug Cleeve. Our fresh halibut shipments have increased a little, but not as much as we expected, probably owing to the hard times.

Northern Plants—The writer has just returned from an inspection trip of the northern plants. All are in excellent shape and have made a fair start. The weather has been very bad;; this interferes very much with fishing at Rivers Inlet. We trust for the balance of the season they will have better weather.

"Preparations—We are operating ten canneries this year, two less than last—seven north and three on the Fraser river. We have prepared for a pack of 152,000 cases, or a little more than we packed last year, when we did not succeed in filling all our cans, carrying over some 45,000 cases.

Stocks—We had on hand June 30, 1908, 12,554 cases canned salmon—mostly Fraser river halves. These should soon be disposed of at good prices; a few are being sold from time to time. Stocks are higher than they have been for years.

"Finances—The balance sheet shows a profit for last season of $68,146.07. We have on hand canned salmon valued at $91,983.91, and have used in preparations for this season's pack, new cold storage, steamer, new machinery, etc., including amount of inventories of materials, $517,912.21. Stock of frozen fish in cold storage, June 27, $23,000, and sundry accounts, $28,986.42. We owed the banks June 30, $74,901.85; outstanding accounts, same date, $8,817.52.

"Your directors thought best to only pay a 3½ per cent. dividend last year, adding balance of profits earned to working capital."

#### Died in San Jose.

Vancouver, July 21.—A San Jose, Cal., paper says: "Gus Dunn, one of the best known and popular members of the Typographical Union of San Jose, died last evening, June 25, after a long illness. Mr. Dunn had been a linotype operator on the Evening News until a few weeks ago, when he was compelled to give up his position because of the ravages of tuberculosis. Before the disease had made serious inroads on his health the deceased was prominent i namateur athletic circles. He was an organizer and one of the cleverest members of the local lacrosse club. Mr. Dunn was a native of Winnipeg, Canada, and was thirty-two years of age. Before taking up his residence in this city, he resided in Vancouver, B.C., for several years, where he was employed on the News-Advertiser."

#### Logger's Leg Broken.

Vancouver, July 21.—A. J. Dononue, a logger, was brought from Pender Harbor and taken to St. Paul's Hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a broken leg. He was piling logs with a companion, when the latter let his end of the log drop, with the result that Dononue was unable to sustain the weight of the entire log, and fell, the log rolling over his legs and breaking one of them just below the knee.

## TO BE JUNCTION POINT

### North Battleford Hopes to Be Important Place on Canadian Northern System

Battleford, Sask., July 21.—Dr. Sparling has just returned from a trip to Ottawa, as a delegate of the Board of Trade of North Battleford with respect to railroad extension in this district. He states that work on the projected line from Prince Albert to North Battleford will be begun at once with a crew. A telegram from A. Champaigne, M.P.P., states that Mackenzie and Mann have undertaken to begin work within a few weeks on their line from North Battleford to Athabasca Landing and the coast. North Battleford is thus established not only as an important junction point of the main line of the Canadian Northern Railway, but also on the proposed line to Hudson's Bay.

#### Mr. Gamey May Run.

Aurora, Ont., July 21.—R. R. Gamey, M.P.P. for Manitoulin, may oppose Hon. A. B. Aylesworth in North York, at the Dominion general elections.

#### Doukhobors Refuse Food.

Regina, Sask., July 21.—Three Doukhobors who are in the city jail, and their leader, who is in the guard room at the Mounted Police barracks, refuse all food offered them. They will starve to death unless returned to the Yorkton settlement.

#### Only One Minister In Ottawa.

Ottawa, July 21.—Hon. Mr. Aylesworth is the only cabinet minister in the city. The premier and most of his other colleagues have gone to Quebec. Mr. Aylesworth himself is leaving in a few days for Germany, where he is to undergo treatment for deafness.


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If your dealer has not the 25c. trial size, let us know. Give us your name and address and we will send you a booklet—free—containing valuable recipes and stories of what "Fruit-a-tives" have done. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

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### CROSS & CO.

REAL ESTATE, MINES.
44 Fort Street.

OAK BAY AVENUE—Nice cottage, $2,100.

### OAK BAY

ACRE LOT—This is the choice property of the district, within stone's throw of the sea and one minute from car line. Grand view of Mt. Baker and the sea, and handy for the Golf Links. Investigate this.

ISLAND ROAD SUBDIVISION—Large lots located near Golf Links.

FOUL BAY ROAD—We have several choice pieces of property on Foul Bay Road, south from Oak Bay avenue.

LINDEN AVE.—Splendid lots on Linden avenue at $1,500 per lot.

COOK STREET—Cor. Fairfield road, large lot, $2,000.

LINDEN—Cor. Scoresby; 120 x 100, choice, $3,500.

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OKANAGAN—480 acres of the finest fruit land in Okanagan Valley, with water rights.

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### PORTAGE INLET

107 Acres fronting on inlet, 40 acres cleared, cottage and barn worth $2500, young orchard. Splendid property for sub-division. Would make a fine site for school or country club. Only $22,000.

60 ACRE chicken and fruit ranch with all buildings. Situated near first class market. Fully stocked, paying well! To be sold as a going concern.

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### J. STUART YATES

22 Bastion street. Victoria.

FOR SALE.

80 ACRES—Sooke district, just inside Sooke Harbor.

FINE SEA FRONTAGE—At Esquimalt, about three acres, cheap.

TWO LOTS—On Victoria harbor, with large wharf and sheds and two large warehouses, in good condition, on easy terms.

THREE LOTS—On Yates street, with 10 stores, bringing in good rentals.

TO RENT—Large wharf at foot of Yates street, rent $120 per month.

8½ ACRES—On Colquitz river, Victoria district, cheap.

For further particulars apply to

### ROOM AND BOARD

ACCOMODATION on farm for family or party of friends. Good dairy, garden and fruit. Terms very moderate. Apply Cedar Farm, Crofton, Vancouver Island. 12j

ROOMS AND BOARD, five minutes' walk from city hall. 2112 Douglas St. jy12

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TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1219 Cood St. j21

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TO LET—Furnished Rooms; all modern conveniences; for gentlemen or light housekeeping. 1903 Quadra Street. Phone 250. jy17

LARGE, well furnished housekeeping rooms, bath, gas, phone, select location. Box 711, Colonist. jy11

### WANTED—TO RENT.

WANTED—Small furnished cottage for a few weeks. Address stating particulars. Box No. 55, Victoria, B. C. j21

## REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1906.

Chap. 115

## NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, hereby gives notice, pursuant to the requirements of Section 7, of the above mentioned Statute, that the said Council has this day applied by petition to the Governor in Council for approval of the site and of the plan of the wharf extension proposed to be constructed on and over the foreshore abutting on subdivided parts of Lots 122 and 123, Block B, and the harbor terminus of Herald street, in the City of Victoria, B.C., according to the Official Map of the said City of Victoria.

A plan and description of the proposed site, and of the wharf extension to be constructed, has been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of June, 1908.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C.
Victoria, B. C., June 19, 1908.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL DESKS.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tenders for School Desks," will be received by the undersigned up to the 24th of July, 1908, for supplying and delivering the following school desks ready for shipment to places to be hereafter designated to the order of the Department at Vancouver or Victoria, B. C., on or before the 1st of September next:

Double Desks.

| | |
|---|---|
| Size No. 5 | 200 |
| Size No. 3 | 150 |
| Size No. 2 | 100 |

Double Rears.

| | |
|---|---|
| Size No. 5 | 20 |
| Size No. 3 | 50 |
| Size No. 2 | 50 |

The name of the desk and maker to be mentioned in tenders.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Chartered Bank of Canada, payable to the undersigned, in the amount of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150), which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the contract.

Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned upon signing of contract.

The Department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., July 9, 1908.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

### LEE & FRASER

9 and 11 TROUNCE AVENUE

TO RENT.

121 SOUTH TURNER ST., furnished; $35 per month.

1119 NORTH PARK ST, 6 rooms; $22.50 per month.

2609 THIRD ST., 6 rooms; $18 per month.

1602 QUADRA ST., 8 rooms; $50 per month.

### THE STUART ROBERTSON CO

Limited.
1212 Broad Street.

6 ROOMED COTTAGE with out-buildings and 1 acre of land, close to city, $3,350.

LARGE FURNISHED HOUSE to rent for 6 months.

4 ROOMED Cottage and Lot, 60x120 ft. on Frances Avenue, for $1,500.

4 ACRES of Choice Fruit Land, close in. $1,400.

260 ACRES on Saanich Inlet, $10 per acre.

TO RENT—8-roomed house, Camosun street, $25 per month.

CALL and inspect our list of farms.

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### WATCH IT GROW! WHAT?

THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Build a house and boost her along.

The Taylor Pattison Mill Co., Ltd., wants to furnish the lumber for your building. Our motto is: "The best material, prompt delivery, courteous treatment and reasonable prices." We make our business GROW by PLEASING our customers. Mills, yard and office at end of Garbally Road, on Victoria Arm, Victoria, B. C. Telephone No. 864.

The attention of the Lands and Works Department having been directed to the fact that town lots in a townsite named Prince Rupert, being a subdivision of Lot 642, Range 5, Coast District, situated on the mainland between the mouth of the Skeena River and Kaien Island, are being offered for sale, it has been deemed necessary to warn the public that the said townsite is not situated at the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and is not the townsite which is owned jointly by the Government of British Columbia and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company.

F. J. FULTON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works,
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1908.

## CHEAP LOTS

on
Easy Monthly Payments
JUST OFF DOUGLAS STREET
Close to Car line
**$325.00 PER LOT**
$50.00 Cash,
Balance $10.00 per Month
20-foot lane at rear

**Swinerton & Oddy**
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## STORAGE WAREHOUSING

19,000 Feet of Floor Space
Apply W. W. DUNCAN
535 Yates St. P. O. Box 179, City.

## COAL AND WOOD

This is the Old Reliable Wellington Coal, per 2,000 lbs. $7.50.
**J. E. PAINTER & SON**
Phone 536 Office. Residence A-428.

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PITT MEADOWS
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HANEY, B.C.
Other offices on the line to Mission City will be opened shortly. Notice will be given as additional offices are opened.
**British Columbia Telephone Co. Ltd**

## NOTICE

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613 PANDORA STREET
New Designs and Styles in all kinds of
**Polished Oak Mantels**
All Classes of
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English Enamel and American Onyx Tiles.
Full line of all fireplace goods.
Lime, Portland Cement, Plaster of Paris, Building and Fire Brick, Fire Clay, etc., always on hand.

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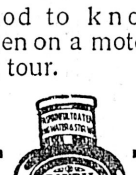
"Bouillon and "Sandwiches" are easily made.

Both are nutritious and enjoyable.

Good to know when on a motoring tour.



## JAPANESE TRAINING SHIP MAKING CRUISE

### The Tarsei Maru Has Reached San Francisco on the Way to Panama

The Japanese training ship Taisei Maru has arrived at San Francisco, 30 days from Japan. Manned by eleven officers, sixty-three cadets and a crew of fifty-six men, the Taisei Maru left Tokio Bay on May 30th and went to Mororan to fill her bunkers, later visiting the ports of Tateyema, Ofunato and Yameda before sailing on June 17th for San Francisco. The vessel is a four-masted bark, with auxiliary engines and twin screws. The sails were used all the way across the Pacific, until within 100 miles of the coast.

The Taisei Maru was built in 1904 by the Kawasaki Dockyard Company, Ltd., and is a very attractive steel vessel, 270 feet in length and 44 feet in breadth, with a depth of 26 feet 9 inches, and a gross tonnage of 2,298. This is the fourth cruise of the ship, the previous ones having been made to Sydney, Manilla and Brisbane. The vessel is the property of the Nautical College at Tokio, and all the officers are graduates of that institution.

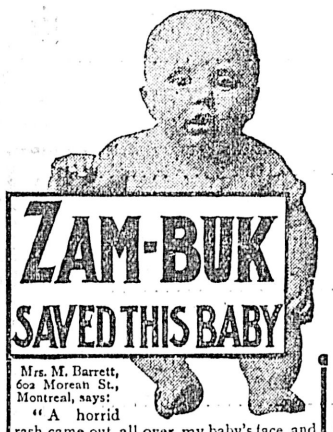
The Taisei Maru is deemed one of the best training ships afloat. She has two complete decks, full poop, midship houses and topgallant forecastle, and has accommodation for thirteen officers, 120 students and fifty-four in the crew. The ship has double bottoms and deep ballast tanks. On the upper deck steel houses are arranged for a library and reading-room, gallery and scullery. The library is handsomely panelled. Two sets of sails are carried, and there are four 26-foot lifeboats, one 28-foot steam cutter, one gig and two 23-foot Japanese sampans.

Dynamoes and electrical machinery, motors, steam-steering gear, and a refrigerating plant are parts of the fine equipment. The main saloon, captain's and principal officer's cabins are fitted in polished white oak.

The complement of cadets consists of four classes, and all the young men are in training to become officers in the mercantile marine. The ship is commanded and all the work controlled by a naval officer, Captain C. Furuya, who served in the war against Russia. The only Anglo-Saxon on board is E. A. Phillips, an Englishman, who is instructor in English to the cadets. The cadets, after two and one-half years' training on shore, spend two years on board the ship, and after another years' service on board a merchantman are ready for individual commands.

The Taisei Maru will proceed to Panama, where a brief visit will be made before the ship returns home by way of Honolulu. She will reach Yokohama in January.

It has been stated that the new pattern cavalry sword, a weapon designed solely for thrusting, has been withdrawn by order of the Army Council. And, further, the comment has been made that such action on the part of the War Office seems most strange, when the weapon in question was the outcome of two service commissions which spent about five years in consultation and experiment on the matter. The fact seems, however, not that the newly devised pointing weapon, numbers of which have been issued to the cavalry, has been withdrawn or abandoned, but that the Army Council have not yet definitely fixed upon the exact pattern for the new weapon. It is anticipated still that the longer, yet lighter, better balanced new sample sword which has been issued and approved by the ablest cavalry leaders of the day will, in due course, be adopted, and the troops will be re-armed with that weapon.



ZAM-BUK SAVED THIS BABY

Mrs. M. Barrett, 602 Morean St., Montreal, says:

"A horrid rash came out all over my baby's face and spread until it had totally covered his scalp. It was irritating and painful, and caused the little one hours of suffering. We tried soaps and powders and salves, but he got no better. He refused his food, got quite thin and worn, and was reduced to a very serious condition. I was advised to try Zam-Buk, and did so. It was wonderful how it seemed to cool and ease the child's burning, painful skin. Zam-Buk from the very commencement seemed to go right to the spot, and the pimples and sores and the irritation grew less and less. Within a few weeks my baby's skin was healed completely. He has now not a trace of rash, or eruption, or eczema, or burning sore. Not only so, but cured of the tormenting skin trouble, he has improved in general health."

Zam-Buk is sold at all stores and medicine vendors, 50c. a box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price, 6 boxes for $2.50. A certain cure for all skin diseases, cuts, burns, etc., and for piles.

Zam-Buk

## SEASONABLE PRODUCE LINES IN GOOD SUPPLY

### Past Week Has Shown Few Changes in the Local Prices

The local market is at present well supplied with the seasonable varieties of vegetables and new vegetables are now coming in in rapidly growing quantities and are of excellent quality. Peas, beans, young carrots, turnips and new potatoes are freely offering at prices which compare favorably with previous years. The seasonable vegetables from the south are also in good supply, fresh shipments having arrived on the last boats. Local peas are quoted at 5 cents a pound, beans, 10 cents a pound, carrots, turnips, green onions and beets at three bunches for 10 cents. Local new potatoes are more plentiful and prices have been shaded a trifle to 2½ cens per pound, while young cabbage is plentiful at 2 cents per pound. There are a few vegetable marrows offering at 10 and 15 cents each, but the supply is not as yet plentiful, though it will be arriving in larger supply in a week or two. Hot house tomatoes are getting scarce and are selling at present at 20 cents per pound as compared with two pounds for 25 cents last week. Outdoor lettuce is still quoted at 5 cents a head.

In the fruit line there have been few changes. A feature of the market is the great scarcity of wild blackberries, the demand for which is exceptionally heavy as that fruit, of all the preserving fruits, is the one most in demand. Evidently the crop this year is either scarce or late, as arrivals on the market have been practically nil. Strawberries are about finished and in a week or two will be off the market. Prices are the same as last week at 15 cents per box. Gooseberries are also about over, but raspberries and Logan berries are arriving in larger quantities and in fine condition, and with the present hot weather offerings will be much larger. Raspberries are at present selling at 12½ cents per pound and Logan berries at 10 cents.

Southern fruit is arriving in good condition. Watermelons are most plentiful and about as cheap as they will be at 25 to 60 cents each, according to size, while apricots are arriving in more liberal shipments and retail at $1.25 to $1.35 per crate. A few California Muskat grapes are on the market at 60 to 75 cents per basket and plums are getting more plentiful and are in good condition, retailing at 40 cents per basket. Bartlett pears from California are also in better supply and quality and sell at three pounds for 25c.

While shipments of eastern creamery butter of good quality are increasing, the local creamery supplies are scarce, the reason of this, it is stated, being owing to the fact that the greater proportion of the cream is now being used in the manufacture of ice cream. Pasturage is good and there should be no falling off in the output of cream. The eastern creamery is selling at from 25 to 30 cents per pound, but there has been no change in the price of the local creamery.

Eggs are scarce, though there has been no change in prices. Dealers expect that there will be some advance in a short time. A few eastern eggs of fairly good quality are retailing at from 30 to 35 cents per dozen.

Hams and bacons have been advanced by the eastern packers, owing, it is claimed, to the difficulty in securing an adequate supply of hogs. Prices here are unchanged, but with the advance elsewhere the local article is certain to advance.

In other lines of produce there have been no changes. Fish, meat, flour and feed remain at last week's level. Local retail prices are as follows:

**Flour**

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| Royal Household, a bag | $2.00 |
| Lake of the Woods, a bag | $2.00 |
| Royal Standard | $2.00 |
| Wild Rose, per bag | $1.75 |
| Calgary, a bag | $2.00 |
| Hungarian, per bbl | $7.75 |
| Snowflake, a bag | $1.70 |
| Snowflake, per bbl. | $6.80 |
| Moffet's Best, per bbl. | $7.75 |
| Drifted Snow, per sack | $1.70 |
| Three Star, per sack | $2.00 |

**Foodstuffs.**

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|---|---|
| Bran, per 100 lbs. | $1.60 |
| Shorts, per 100 lbs. | $1.70 |
| Middlings, per 100 lbs. | $1.75 |
| Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs. | $2.00 |
| Oats, per 100 lbs. | $1.85 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs. | $1.70 |
| Chop Feed, best, per 100 lbs. | $1.50 |
| Whole Corn, per 100 lbs. | $2.00 |
| Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs. | $2.05 |
| Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs. | $2.05 |
| Hay, Fraser River, per ton | $20.00 |
| Hay, Prairie, per ton | $15.00 |
| Hay, Alfalfa Clover, per ton | $20.00 |

**Vegetables.**

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|---|---|
| Celery, two heads | .25 |
| Lettuce, two heads | .05 |
| Garlic, per lb. | .20 |
| Onions, Australian, 6 lbs. | .25 |
| Green Onions, 3 bunches | .10 |
| Potatoes, local, per sack | $2.00 |
| New Potatoes, per lb. | .02½ |
| Cauliflower, each | .15 to .20 |
| Cabbage, new, per lb. | .02 |
| Red Cabbage, per lb. | .05 |
| Rhubarb, four pounds | .25 |
| Asparagus, 2 pounds | .25 |
| Green Peas, per pound | .05 |
| Beans, per lb. | .10 |
| Egg Plant, per lb. | .25 |
| Tomatoes, per lb. | .20 |
| Cucumbers, each | .10 to .15 |
| Carotts, per pound | .05 |
| Beets, per pound | .05 |

**Dairy Produce.**

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| Eggs— | |
| Fresh Island, per dozen | .35 |
| Eastern, per doz. | .30 to .35 |
| Cheese— | |
| Canadian, per lb. | .20 |
| Neufchatel, each | .05 |
| Cream, local, each | .10 |
| Butter— | |
| Manitoba, per lb. | .30 |
| Best dairy, per lb. | .35 |
| Victoria Creamery, per lb. | .40 |
| Cowichan Creamery, per lb. | .40 |
| Common Creamery, per lb. | .35 |
| Chilliwack Creamery, per lb. | .35 |
| Alberni Creamery, per lb. | .35 |

**Fruit.**

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|---|---|
| Strawberries, per box | .15 |
| Grape Fruit, per dozen | .75 |
| Oranges, per dozen | .25 to .50 |
| Lemons, per dozen | .25 |
| Figs, cooking, per lb. | .08 to .10 |
| Apples, per box | 2.00 to 2.25 |
| Bananas, per doz. | .35 |
| Figs, table, per lb. | .25 |
| Raisins, Valencia, per lb. | .15 |
| Raisins, table, per lb. | .25 to .60 |
| Pineapples, each | .60 |
| Cherries, local, per lb. | .10 to .15 |
| Peaches, Cal., 2 lbs. | .25 |
| Apricots, Cal., per crate | 1.25 to 1.35 |
| Plums, Cal., per basket | .50 |
| Melons, Cal., each | .05 to .20 |
| Watermelons, each, | .25 to .60 |
| Raspberries, per lb. | .12½ |
| Logan Berries, per lb. | .10 |
| Bartlett Pears, Cal., 3 lbs. | .25 |

**Nuts.**

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| Walnuts, per lb. | .30 |
| Brazils, per lb. | .30 |
| Almonds, Jordon, per lb. | .75 |
| Almonds, California, per lb. | .30 |
| Cocoanuts, each | .15 |
| Pecans, per lb. | .30 |
| Chestnuts, per lb. | .30 |

**Fish.**

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| Cod, salted, per lb. | .10 to .13 |
| Halibut, fresh, per lb. | .08 to .10 |
| Halibut, smoked, per lb. | .15 |
| Cod, fresh, per lb. | .06 to .08 |
| Flounders, fresh, per lb. | .06 to .08 |
| Salmon, fresh, white, per lb. | .12½ |
| Salmon, fresh red, per lb. | .15 to .20 |
| Salmon, smoked, per lb. | .20 |
| Oysters, Toke Point, per dozen | .40 to .50 |
| Shrimps, per lb. | .25 to .30 |
| Smelts, per lb. | .05 to .10 |
| Herring, kippered, per lb. | .12½ |
| Finnan Haddie, per lb. | .12½ |
| Smoked Herring | .12½ |
| Crabs, 2 for | .25 |
| Black Bass, per lb. | .06 to .08 |
| Oolichans, salt, per lb. | .12½ |
| Black Cod, salt, per lb. | .12½ |

**Meat and Poultry.**

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|---|---|
| Beef, per lb. | .08 to .18 |
| Lamb, per lb. | .15 to .25 |
| Mutton, per lb. | 12½ to .20 |
| Lamb, per quarter, fore | 1.50 to 1.75 |
| Lamb, per quarter, hind | 2.00 to 2.25 |
| Veal, dressed, per lb. | .15 to .18 |
| Geese, dressed, per lb. | .18 to .20 |
| Guinea Fowls, each | 1.00 |
| Chickens, per lb. | .25 to .30 |
| Chickens, per lb. live weight | 12½ to .15 |
| Ducks, dressed, per lb. | .20 to .25 |
| Hams, per lb. | .18 to .20 |
| Hares, dressed, each | .75 |
| Bacon, per lb. | .25 to .30 |
| Pork, dressed, per lb. | 12½ to .15 |
| Rabbits, dressed, each | .50 to .65 |
| Pigeons, dressed, per pair | .50 |

New York, July 21.—The general list displayed a reactionary tendency with the exception of Westinghouse issues Brooklyn, National Lead and National Biscuit. Reports of important improvement in business conditions caused the stregth in Westinghouse. Several attempts were made to force a sharp reaction but the declines were orderly and pressure not pronounced. The advance has been rather rapid and a recession of a few points would serve to strengthen the position of the market.

We still believe that prices will eventually seek higher levels but would not make purchases for the time being except on weakness.

### NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, July 21, 1908.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amal Copper | 71⅝ | 70⅝ | 70⅞ | 71⅛ |
| Am Car Fdy | 39⅛ | 38¾ | 38¾ | 38⅞ |
| Am Cot Oil | 34½ | 33¾ | 33¾ | 34¼ |
| Amer Ice | 28 | 27½ | 27½ | 27¾ |
| Amer Loco | 52¾ | 51¾ | 52¼ | 52½ |
| Amer Sugar | 131 | 130 | 130 | 130½ |
| Amer Smelt | 85¾ | 84½ | 84⅝ | 84⅝ |
| do pfd | 108 | 106 | 106¾ | 107½ |
| Anaconda Co. | 45 | 44⅜ | 44⅜ | 44⅝ |
| Am Woolen | 23⅝ | 23⅜ | 23½ | 23¾ |
| Atchison | 87⅛ | 86½ | 86¼ | 86⅝ |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 91 | 93½ |
| Balt and Ohio | 93 | 92⅜ | 92⅜ | 92⅛ |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 93 | 97 |
| Brooklyn R T | 52½ | 51¼ | 51⅝ | 51⅝ |
| Can Pac | 168¾ | 168 | 168¼ | 168½ |
| Cent Leather | 29¼ | 28¾ | 28¾ | 28⅞ |
| do pfd | 97½ | 97 | 96½ | 97 |
| Chi and G W | 6¾ | 6⅝ | 6½ | 6¾ |
| Chi M and S P | 141½ | 140 | 140 | 140¼ |
| Chi and N W | 157¾ | 156½ | 156¾ | 157⅜ |
| Ches and Ohio | 43 | 42¼ | 42¼ | 42⅞ |
| Colo F and I | 33½ | 32¼ | 32⅞ | 32⅞ |
| Colo So | 32 | 31⅝ | 32 | 32⅜ |
| do 2s | 51¼ | 50¼ | 50½ | 51½ |
| do 1s | 61 | 60⅜ | 60⅝ | 61 |
| Corn Products | 18 | 16⅞ | 18¾ | 17⅞ |
| do pfd | 72¼ | 71⅞ | 71⅝ | 72 |
| Del and Hud | 164½ | 164 | 163 | 164 |
| D. and R. G. | .. | .. | 26¾ | 27⅛ |
| do pfd | 65 | 64⅜ | 64¼ | 66 |
| Erie | .. | .. | 22¼ | 22⅜ |
| Erie 2s | 28⅝ | 27½ | 27½ | 28½ |
| Erie 1s | 39½ | 38¾ | 38 | 38¼ |
| Ill Cent | 137 | 136 | 136 | 136½ |
| Inter-Met | 11⅞ | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11⅞ |
| do pfd | 33¾ | 31½ | 32 | 32½ |
| Lou and Nash | 109¼ | 107½ | 108 | 108¼ |
| Mex Cent | .. | .. | 14 | 15 |
| M K and T | 31½ | 30½ | 30⅜ | 30½ |
| do pfd | 63¾ | 63¼ | 63 | 64 |
| Mo Pac | 56⅝ | 54½ | 54½ | 55 |
| Nat Lead | 71¾ | 70¼ | 70½ | 70¾ |
| M S P S S M | 116 | 115⅝ | 115½ | 115⅝ |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 140 | 145 |
| Pac Coast | .. | .. | 71 | 76 |
| Int Paper | 10⅜ | 10¼ | 10 | 10½ |
| do pfd | 56 | 55¾ | 55½ | 56½ |
| N Y Cent | 106⅞ | 106¼ | 106¼ | 106⅝ |
| N Y O and W | 40½ | 40⅛ | 40 | 40¼ |
| Norfolk and W | 73½ | 72 | 72 | 72½ |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 70 | 80 |
| North Amer | 65 | 64½ | 64⅞ | 65 |
| No Pac com | 141⅞ | 140¾ | 140¾ | 141 |
| Pac Mail | 26⅝ | 26¼ | 26⅜ | 26⅝ |
| Penn Ry | 125 | 124⅛ | 124⅛ | 124⅜ |
| Peoples Gas | 95⅜ | 95¼ | 95¼ | 95½ |
| Pr Steel Car | .. | .. | 31 | 31½ |
| Reading | 119¼ | 117½ | 117⅝ | 117¾ |
| do 2s | .. | .. | 82½ | 83 |
| Reading 1s | .. | .. | 83½ | 83¾ |
| Rep I ron and S | 21⅜ | 21 | 21 | 21¼ |
| do pfd | 74⅛ | 73 | 73½ | 74¼ |
| Rock Island | 17½ | 16¾ | 17 | 17¼ |
| do pfd | 32½ | 30⅜ | 31¾ | 32 |
| S L and S F 1s | .. | .. | 44 | 48 |
| do 2s | .. | .. | 26⅞ | 27½ |
| S L and S W | .. | .. | 17½ | 18 |
| South Pac | 91⅞ | 91¼ | 91⅜ | 91½ |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 118½ | 119 |
| Southern Ry | 19½ | 18¾ | 19 | 19⅛ |
| do pfd | 50½ | 49 | 50¼ | 50½ |
| Tex Pac | 25⅝ | 24¾ | 25⅜ | 25½ |
| T S L and W | 23 | 22¾ | 22⅛ | 22¾ |
| do pfd | 49⅛ | 48 | 49 | 49⅛ |
| Union Pac | 154 | 152½ | 152⅞ | 153 |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 82½ | 83¼ |
| U S Rubber | 28⅜ | 27¾ | 27¾ | 28 |
| do 2s | .. | .. | 63 | 65 |
| U S Steel | 45½ | 44⅜ | 44⅞ | 45 |
| do pfd | 108⅝ | 107⅞ | 108¼ | 108½ |
| Wabash | .. | .. | 11½ | 11¾ |
| do pfd | 26 | 25¾ | 25¾ | 26 |
| West Union | 57 | 55⅞ | 56¼ | 57 |
| Wis Cent | .. | .. | 17⅜ | 18 |
| do pfd | .. | .. | 39½ | 40 |
| Distillers Sec | 36¾ | 34¾ | 35½ | 36 |
| Gt Northern | 135⅞ | 134¾ | 134¾ | 134⅞ |
| Virginia Chem. | .. | .. | 24¾ | 25½ |
| Utah Copper | 37 | 36½ | 36 | 36½ |
| Tenn Copper | .. | .. | 35 | 35½ |
| Westinghouse | 75¼ | 64 | 74 | 75 |

Total sales 906,000 shares.
Money 1½ per cent.

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

New York, July 21, 1908.

| Option— | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| January | 9.21 | 9.21 | 9.20 |
| February | 9.21 | 9.20 | 9.20 |
| March | 9.20 | 9.18 | 9.20 |
| July | 9.50 | 9.25 | 9.48 |
| August | 9.36 | 9.15 | 9.36 |
| September | 9.12 | 9.14 | 9.38 |
| October | 9.43 | 9.13 | 9.42 |
| November | 9.25 | 9.87 | 9.24 |
| December | .... | .... | 9.24 |

### Prices of Metals.

New York, July 21.—Copper, dull; lake, 12.75 to 13.00. Lead, dull. Tin, easy; straights, 28.87 1-2 to 29.25. Spelter, dull.

## MARKET KEEPS UP IN SPITE OF SALES

### Professional Traders Join Issues—Unexplained Rise in Reading

New York, July 21.—Increased selling of stocks today somewhat affected prices. The market comported itself on the whole in a manner to keep up the courage of those committed to a continuance of the rise in prices, showing good power of digestion of the selling and excellent recuperative force when the pressure lightened. An element of the speculative holders was disposed to take profits on the rise already achieved, and another professional element, watchful for such a contingency, joined in the selling on the short side and offered prices down in an attack on the long position. The process of digestion of profits was healthy for the market, and the building up of the short interest made a supporting factor for values. The realizing sales were conducted with caution and under cover of the sustaining influence of strength in special stocks.

Reading was a prominent sustaining force, and it was run up aggressively in the face of a declining tendency in the general list. There was no news to explain the strength of the stock, and the great concentration of the operations in the hands of a few commission houses pointed to professional manipulation. The suggestion found currency that the movement was in anticipation of an outcome of the suit to test the validity of the commodities clause of the Hepburn act in favor of the contentions of the company. As this decision is still in the hands of the courts, the rumor was incapable of verification.

The small effect produced on United States Steel by the sales of it to realize, and its aggressive recovery to a price higher than was touched yesterday, was a sentimental sustaining influence on the whole market. In connection with the reactionary tendency of prices of stocks, there grew up some misgivings as to the success of the plans of the railroads for bringing about a higher rate of compensation by advancing freight charges. The announcement of an issue of $18,000,000 of Central Pacific bonds proved to have rather a chilling effect on both the stock and bond divisions of the market. Southern Pacific, which guaranteed the bonds, was noticeably affected.

The persistence of realizing sales caused continual renewals of the declining tendency, but the net losses at the end of the day were small.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,708,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

### CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, July 21.—Wheat—There simply was not a sufficient volume of buying orders in wheat today to force the price above where the upward indemnities were traded in and the market after a good early advance declined back a little and ruled dull up to the close at ¾ cents net advance for the day. Most of the news for the day was on the side of the buyers. Liverpool had less decline at the time of our opening than expected and their close was strong. Continental markets were all firm and higher. St. Louis shipped 147,000 bushels for the day. Local receipts large. Before the close New York was claiming export business for sixty-eight loads in all positions with but twenty loads confirmed. Crop experts now in Canada wire crop has been overestimated and that yields promise very ordinary crop in some sections and rain badly needed. The important news of the day was the forecast of clear and warmer weather for the Dakotas. So long as all this news continues to come to the market the trade need not worry.

Corn—There was a tendency to sell September corn during the morning. Fine weather caused some selling pressure in the new crop months. The sample market ruled firm. As the new crop months get close to the sixty cent level there is caution on the part of short sellers and better support is noticed.

Oats—There was considerable snap to the buying side of oats for all months. Chicago is without public stocks and cash prices are very high. It looks as if it would take a liberal movement from the new crop to give the market a setback.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| July | 90½ | 91¼ | 90⅜ | 90⅞ |
| Sept | 90⅝ | 91⅝ | 90⅜ | 91¼ |
| Dec. | 92½ | 93⅛ | 92¼ | 93 |
| May | 96½ | 97⅜ | 96½ | 97¼ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| July | 75¾ | 75⅛ | 75⅝ | 75⅞ |
| Sept | 75¾ | 75⅞ | 75⅛ | 75½ |
| Dec. | 61½ | 61⅝ | 60⅞ | 61⅜ |
| May | 60¾ | 60⅞ | 60¼ | 60¾ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| July | 52½ | 52½ | 52¾ | 52½ |
| Sept | 48⅞ | 44 | 42⅜ | 44 |
| Dec. | 43 | 43¾ | 43 | 43½ |
| May | 45 | 45½ | 44⅞ | 45⅜ |
| Pork— | | | | |
| Sept | 15.55 | 15.85 | 15.55 | 15.82 |
| Oct. | 15.67 | 15.85 | 15.62 | 15.85 |
| Short Ribs— | | | | |
| July | .... | .... | .... | 8.70 |
| Sept | 8.70 | 8.85 | 8.70 | 8.85 |
| Oct. | 8.80 | 8.92 | 8.80 | 8.92 |

### VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE.

Temporary Trading Stock.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Alberta Coal and Coke | .... | 20 |
| B. C. Copper Co. | 4.50 | 5.15 |
| Burton Saw Works | 100 | 112 |
| Canadian Con. S. and R. | 70.00 | 90.00 |
| Caribou Camp McKinney | 1 | 2¼ |
| Dominion Copper Co. | 1.70 | 2.15 |
| Granby | 92.00 | 100 |
| Int. Coal and Coke Co. | 55 | 60 |
| Imperial Trust Co. | 100 | 105 |
| Portland Canal | 14 | 25 |
| Rambler Caribou | 18 | 20 |
| Sullivan | ¼ | ¾ |
| Western Oil | ... | 1.00 |

### Coeur D'Alene Stocks.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Alameda | 2¼ | 3 |
| Charles Dickens | 5½ | 6 |
| Gertie | 2½ | 3½ |
| Humming Bird | 7 | 10 |
| Idora | 2¾ | 3¼ |
| Missoula Copper | 3½ | 4½ |
| Nabob | 2¾ | 3 |
| O. K. Con. | 1 | 1½ |
| Oom Paul | 3¾ | 6 |
| Rex | 6 | 10 |
| Snow Storm | 1.50 | 1.58 |
| Stewart | 50 | 60 |
| Tamarac and Chesapeake | 70 | 90 |
| Wonder | 1½ | 1¾ |

## FORT WILLIAM FIRE

### Acre Block in Business District Swept Clear—City Has Narrow Escape From Destruction

Fort William, Ont., July 21.—Fort William had a narrow escape from destruction by fire which broke out shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the rear of the establishment of the John King company, Victoria avenue, and which before it was finally got under control two hours later, caused enormous property loss.

The blaze was one of the worst this city has ever experienced, and for a while it was feared that a large section of the city was doomed. The wind was blowing almost a gale, the warm weather of the last week or two had rendered everything inflammable as dry as tinder, and it was not more than a very few minutes before the frame buildings at the back of the big store were like raging furnaces.

The fine block occupied by the John King company was completely destroyed, as were several other frame buildings at the back, and the area extending from Victoria avenue, about an acre in extent, was swept clean by the flames. The buildings immediately adjoining the brick block on Victoria avenue were also badly damaged, and the loss there will be considerable.

Losses: John King & Co., loss $105,000, insurance $75,000; Robert Strachan, loss $10,000, insurance part; Kirup and Wilkie, $15,000, insurance $10,000; Snelgrove & Waddington, loss $20,000, insurance $12,000; Rutledge & Jackson, loss $5,000; insurance $5,000.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late for Classification)

STRAYED from 114 Ontario St., a small black and white cow. Finder please phone 1161. jy22

FOR RENT—Room and board in private family, close to City Hall; also vacancy for two table boarders, $4.50 weekly. Address Box 895, Colonist. jy22

WANTED—To buy, a second-hand canoe. Box 896, Colonist. jy22

YOUNG LADY wants position as stenographer. 882, Colonist. jy22

WANTED—To rent, store, on Government St., between postoffice and Yates St., or South side Fort, between Government and Douglas. To occupy 1st October or November. Apply Box 883, Colonist. jy22

**ACCOUNTANTS.**

W. H. COWLEY, accountant and auditor. Box 886, Colonist. jy22

## Victoria Water Works

### AMENDED SPRINKLING REGULATIONS.

Notice is hereby given that during the morning hours, with the exception of Sunday, the use of water in any manner upon lawns, gardens, yards, or grounds of any description is prohibited. The new hours are as follows:

**Metered.**

7 p. m. to 10 p. m. Sundays, 1 p. m. to 10 p. m.

**Unmetered.**

4 p. m. to 7 p. m. Sundays 7 a. m. to 1 p. m.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 21st July, 1908.

## IMPORTANT

The attention of consumers is called to the printed inside wrappers of Sweet Caporal Cigarettes, which will be redeemed, as stated thereon, at the Company's Offices at corner Princess Street and McDermot avenue, Winnipeg, or 141 Water street, Vancouver.

## Births, Marriages, Deaths

**DIED.**

CRAWFORD—In this city, on the 20th inst., at Jubilee hospital, James Crawford, aged 80 years, a native of Scotland.

The funeral will take place from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Co., Government street, on Wednesday, July 22nd, 1908, at 1:45 p. m., and 2 o'clock at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

J. H. HAWTHORNTHWAITE, M. P. P. will address a meeting at Metchosin, Thursday, July 23 at 8 p.m. j22

LOST—Small white poodle, answering to name of "Happy," brown ears, small brown spot on back. Reward, phone 1751 j22

TO LET—Large furnished bedroom, near city, all modern improvements. 889, Colonist. jy22

LOST—On Government St., outside of Spencer's, a $5 bill. Reward. 890, Colonist. jy22

WANTED—Teacher for Metchosin public school; duties to commence after holidays. J. Foster, secretary school board. jy22

WANTED—Charge of farm, thoroughly experienced, best of references. 268, Ladysmith. jy22

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 409 Edward St. jy22

WANTED—By a gentleman, board and residence with a private family; good location; neighborhood of Fort St. preferred. Address Box 891, Colonist. jy22

FOR SALE—Beautiful dark bay gelding, four years old, weight about 1,200 pounds. Apply Dr. Hamilton, Transfer Stables. jy22

LOST—A brown mare with cut mane and tail, wearing halter and branded on the off fore shoulder. Please notify The Rattenbury, Oak Bay. jy22

WANTED—Young man of good habits to share large front room. Room and board $5.00 a week. Centrally located. 885, Colonist. jy22

SIX-ROOM HOUSE in good location, fairly close in; wanted from Sept. 1, by couple with one child. Permanent tenants. 887, Colonist. jy22

ENGLISHMAN, age 27, well educated, requires position in office or clerical work of any description. 884, Colonist. jy22

WANTED—Two waitresses, at once. Apply at Victoria hotel. jy22

TO LET—Three unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Rent $17. Central. Box 893, Colonist. jy22

TO LET—Furnished cottage, 1120 Vancouver St. jy22

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**NOTICE.**

The British Columbia Marine Railways Company, Limited, having its head office in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, hereby gives notice pursuant to the requirements of Sections 7 and 8 of the above mentioned statute that the said company has this day applied by petition to the Governor-in-Council for approval of the site and plan of the wharf, extension and marine railway slip constructed prior to the 1st March, 1899, on and over the foreshore abutting on portions of suburban lots 52 and 53, Esquimalt District, B. C., according to the official plan of said district. A plan and description of the said site and of the works constructed thereon has been deposited with the minister of public works at Ottawa and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds, at Victoria, B. C., this 16th day of July, 1908.

British Columbia Marine Railways Company, Limited.
Victoria, B. C.

We Offer
Subject to Prior Sale

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1000 | Diamond Vale Coal | .14 |
| 33 | Western Oil pfd., 6 p.c. | 1.75 |
| 1000 | Alberta Coal | .15 |
| 1000 | Portland Canal | .25 |
| 5 | B. C. Permt. Loan | 125.00 |
| 10 | Northern Bank | .94 |
| 1000 | Cariboo McKinney | .03 |
| 10 | Nicola Valley Coal | .94 |

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# Only a Few More Days of Bargains

Our Great July Sale is nearing the end, and as it has earned the reputation of being the best one that we have ever held, we do not intend to let the last week fall behind the previous ones in the value-giving; therefor until the month closes the public will do well to watch our announcements carefully as the wonderful values that we have offered so far this month, will be eclipsed by what we will offer for the last week of the sale Today's bargain list should be very interesting reading.

## Today's Footwear Specials

WOMEN'S PEAR COLORED TENNIS SHOES AND BOOTS, first grade rubber. Regular $1.50 and $1.75. Wednesday ..**$1.00**

MEN'S WHITE CANVAS OXFORD SHOES. Regular $1.75 for.. ......**$1.25**

INFANTS' BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS in all leathers. Regular $1.25 to $1.75. Sizes 2 to 7 for ............... **75¢**

MEN'S WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS, soiled. Regular $1.75 for ........**$1.00**

CHILD'S PATENT FOX, CLOTH TOP, HAND-TURNED BOOTS. Sizes 8 to 10. Regular $1.75 for .. ....**$1.00**

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS. Sizes 8 to 2. Regular $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 for...**$1.00**

## For Thursday a Sale of Women's Wash Dresses

### A Clearance of All Our Linen, Zephyr, and Muslin Shirt Waist Suits

For Thursday we offer the balance of our stock of Women's Washing Shirt Waist Dresses at prices that will insure their quick removal. These dresses are in fine white muslins, also white linens and colored zephyrs, ginghams and cambrics. We have made the most emphatic reductions, in fact the prices asked are much less than the actual cost of making.

### Linen and Gingham Dresses to Clear

$5.75 to $7.50 Dresses for $2.75

Just think of being able to buy a complete Dress for that figure. These dresses are made of white linens trimmed with colored strappings, and colored effects, in fine zephyrs and ginghams, in both plain and fancy patterns. For the hot days that we are having these dresses are just the thing, and at such a low price should be an attractive bargain.

**$2.75** On Sale Thursday $5.75 to $7.50 Wash ..... Dresses ....... **$2.75**

### White Muslin Dresses to Clear

$8.50 to $12.50 Dresses for $4.50.

In this lot will be found some of the finest dresses that we had this season. We are clearing out all that remains unsold of our stock of fine White Dresses. Nearly all of these dresses are of the lingerie style, and are beautifully trimmed with the finest laces and eyelet embroidery. Some beautiful dresses in this lot.

**$4.50** On Sale Thursday $8.50 to $12.50 Wash ...... Dresses ...... **$4.50**

## Thursday's Footwear Specials

**Not on Sale Today**

ALL ODDMENTS in Ladies' fine Tan Oxfords, Blucher cut, turn soles, Cuban heel, light tan and chocolate shades. Regular price is $4.00 to $5.00. Thursday only.. .. .. .. .. ....**$2.50**

100 PAIR ODDMENTS in Ladies' fine black vici kid Oxfords, Blucher and straight lace styles, Cuban heels, patent tip, turn soles. Regular price $4.00 to $5.50. Thursday only **$2.00**

150 PAIR MEN'S GUN-METAL OXFORDS, 4-button style. Also a few oddments in fine vici lace Oxfords. Regular prices ranging from $3.50 to $6.00. Thursday only .. ....**$2.00**

280 PAIRS MEN'S VICI KID LACE BOOTS, circular fox military heel. A splendid value at $3.50. Our price for Thursday is.. .. .. .. .. .. ....**$2.50**

50 PAIRS BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES. Regular $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50. Thursday .. .. .. ....**$2.00**

## Washing Suits for Boys' Reduced

$1.25 to $2.00 Wash Suits Today 75c

This is certainly a snap; the price asked would not buy the material alone. These suits are in the popular Russian and Buster styles, made of good quality ducks, linens and other materials, in light and medium shades, and are perfect washing goods. The longest part of the summer is still to come and garments like these will be needed every day. At this price it would be wise to lay in a stock, as it is very seldom that an opportunity like this presents itself. Regular prices $1.00, $1.25 and $2.00. Today.. .. .. .. ....**75¢**

## EXTRA SPECIAL FOR TODAY

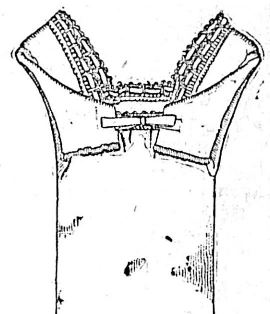
BOYS' SHIRTS, fine quality new prints, made up in fine soft bosom style, to wear with white collar, cuffs attached. Regular price 50c. Today.. .. .. .. **25c**

## See the Demonstration of Economy Glass Jars

As far ahead of all other makes of Glass Jars, as the automobile is ahead of the old-fashioned ox team. That is the popular verdict regarding the Economy Glass Jars. They are not ordinary preserving jars, but have the advantage of being useful for canning and preserving all kinds of cooked vegetables and meats, in addition to canning any kind of fruit, so that it will still retain its original flavor. An expert demonstrator will give practical illustrations of just what these jars will do. This exhibit is on the main floor, centre aisle. This demonstration is most timely, coming just at what might be called preserving time.

## Extraordinary Sale of Undervests

$1.00 and 50c Qualities Today 25c



This is a splendid bargain; these vests are odd lines that we are clearing out. Some are the Swiss make, color mauve, made of silk and Lisle, beautifully trimmed with hand-crocheted trimmings and silk ribbon, value $1.00. Swiss made vests in fine ribbed elastic wool, light weight, crochet trimmed, low neck and sleeveless, value 90c. Also several of fine ribbed Lisle vests, some sleeveless, some short sleeves, value 50c. All on sale today. Regular 50c to $1.00, for ...... .........**25¢**

## Special Assortment of Muslins at 15c

This is certainly muslin weather, and we will have plenty more, no doubt. No need to be uncomfortably warm when you can have a muslin dress at such small cost. This year's muslins were without doubt the handsomest that we have ever shown, and many of our nicest lines are to be had at this price. You have the cold, backward weather of the early part of the season to thank for being able to buy such muslins as these at such a price as.... .... ...........**15¢**

## Tailored Linen Suits Much Underpriced

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' LINEN COSTUME, in white, blue and champagne. Coat Merry Widow style, semi-fitting back and loose cut-away front with outside pockets, full length sleeve with deep cuff, collar and cuffs inlaid with contrasting shade. Skirts plain, circular cut or pleated, both finished wide bias fold. Regular $10.75. Special at..**$5.75**

WOMEN'S LINEN COSTUMES, in green, blue, white, champagne and brown. Coats Prince Chap style, with tight or semi-fitting back, single-breasted, fastened with large white pearl buttons, inlaid collar and cuffs, of contrasting shade, butterfly sleeves. Skirts circular cut, finished with wide bias folds. Regular $13.75 to $18.75. Special at ........**$9.75**

WOMAN'S COSTUME, in Irish linen, white only. Coat 27 inches long, with pointed back and front, seams finished with stitched straps, 3-4 length, butterfly sleeve, with deep cuff. Skirt full circular cut, finished with 4 bias folds. Regular $22.50 to $25.00 . Special at ......................**$11.75**

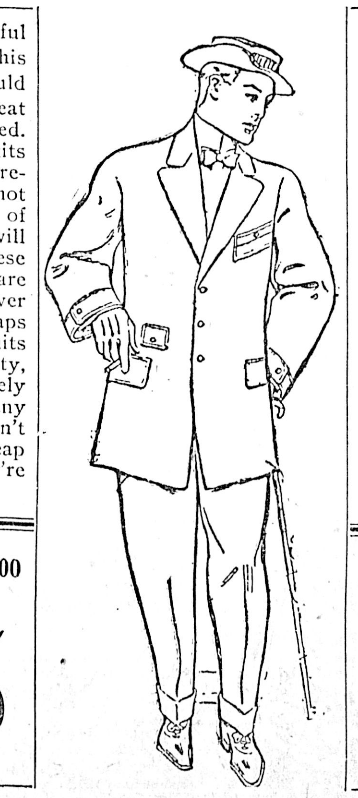
## Today's Bargains on Men's Suits

**Regular $10.00 to $18.00 Suits. Today $6.75**

Considering the wonderful values that we have offered this season in Men's Suits, it would seem almost impossible to beat the bargains previously offered. However, this offering of suits for today far excels all previous offers this season, not forgetting how good some of them have been. We will prove to all who look at these suits today that they are the best that we have ever offered at this price. Perhaps you will think that these suits are inferior in style or quality, on account of the extremely low price. Don't make any mistake about that. Don't think that these are cheap suits. They're not, they're good suits at a small price.

SUITS WORTH $10.00 TO $18.00 TODAY

**$6.75**



It is well known that our Suits are well made and perfect fitting. We carry nothing but garments that will give the most perfect satisfaction. That is the reason why the Men's Clothing Section is growing so rapidly. These suits are made up in a good assortment of fancy tweeds and worsteds, in light, medium and dark colors. The styles are both two and three-piece, single and double breasted effects and finished in harmony with the very latest ideas, that are used on perfectly tailored garments. These suits will be found to be perfect fitting and in appearance equal to any custom made garments, and the price is ridiculously low for suits having the merit these have.

SUITS WORTH $10.00 TO $18.00 TODAY

**$6.75**

## Children's Dresses at Bargain Prices

65c and 75c Print and Muslin Dresses 35c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, in white muslins and colored prints, different sizes. Regular 65c and 75c. Special at..**35¢**

85c and 90c Print and Muslin Dresses 50c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, white muslins, also prints and zephyrs, good colors, different sizes. Regular 85c and 90c. Special at.. .. .. .. .. ...... ... ...... ..........**50¢**

$1.10 and $1.25 Gingham and Muslin Dresses 75c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, fine white muslins, also zephyrs, ginghams and cambrics, different sizes. Regular $1.10 and $1.25. Special at.... .... .... .... .... .... ..........**75¢**

$1.50 and $1.75 Muslin and Cambric Dresses $1.00

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, zephyrs, ginghams and cambrics, in colors and white muslins. Regular $1.50 and $1.75. Special at.... .... .... .... .... ..... ...........**$1.00**

$2.50 and $3.00 Muslin and Zephyr Dresses $1.75

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, fine white muslins, and the finest muslins and cambrics. Regular prices $2.50 and $3.00. Special at.. .. .. .. .. ...... ....... .........**$1.75**

$5.00 to $7.50 Silk Dresses $2.75

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, some of our very nicest silk dresses included in this lot. Regular prices $5.00 to $7.50. Special at.. .. .... .... .... .... ........... ... ......**$2.75**

$3.50 to $4.50 Cloth Dresses $2.25

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, in serge and cashmere, many attractive styles and different colors. Regular $3.50 to $4.50. Special at.... .... .... .... .... .... ............**$2.25**

$4.75 to $6.00 Best Quality Dresses $2.90

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, fine tailor made garments, in colors and white. Regular $4.75 to $6.00. Special at....**$2.90**

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